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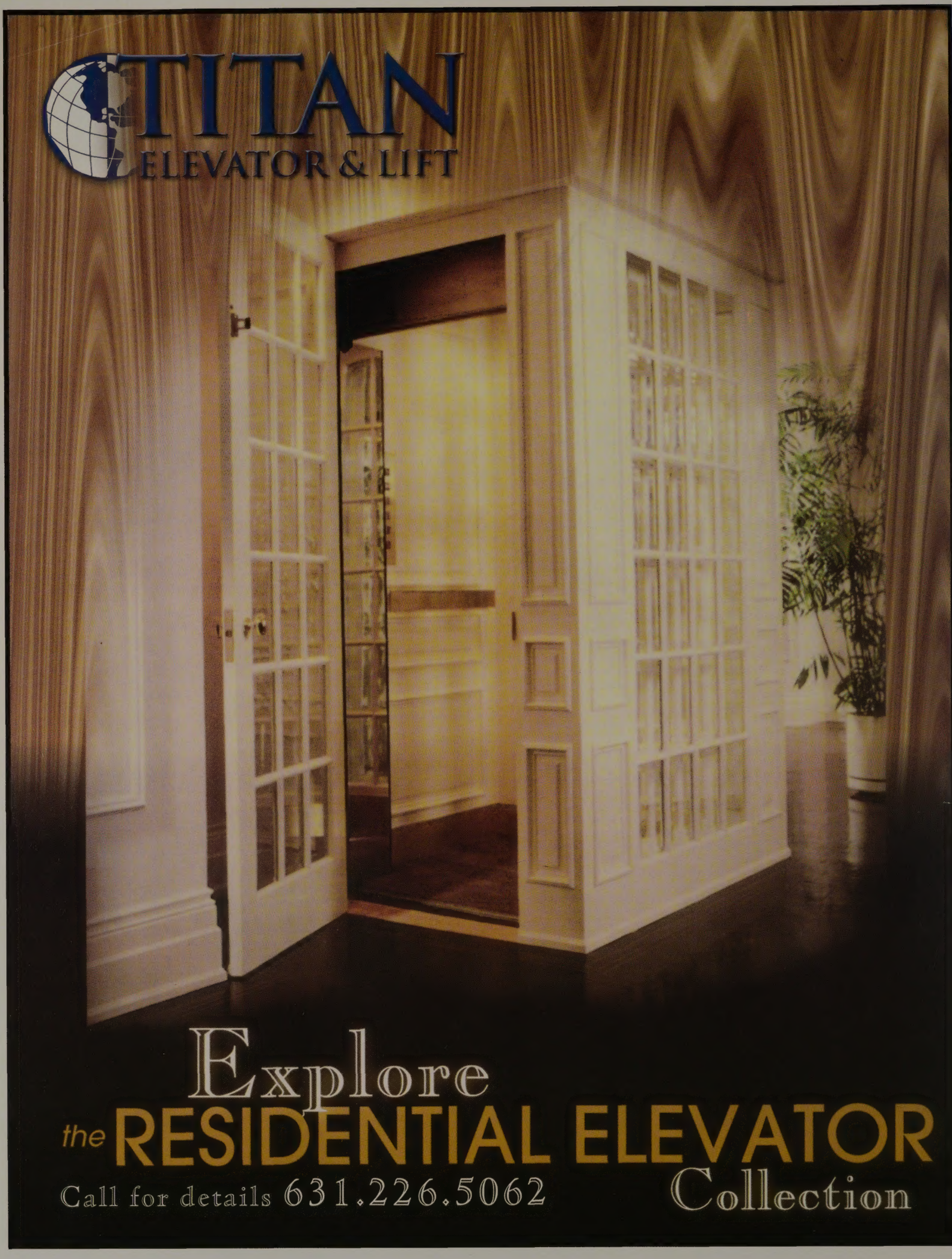
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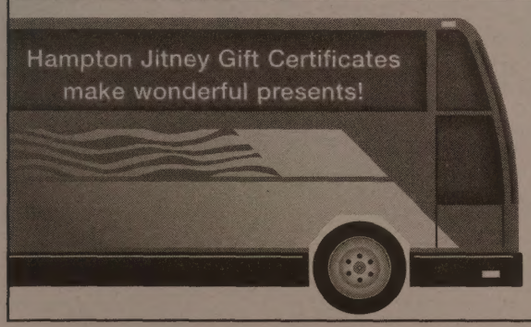

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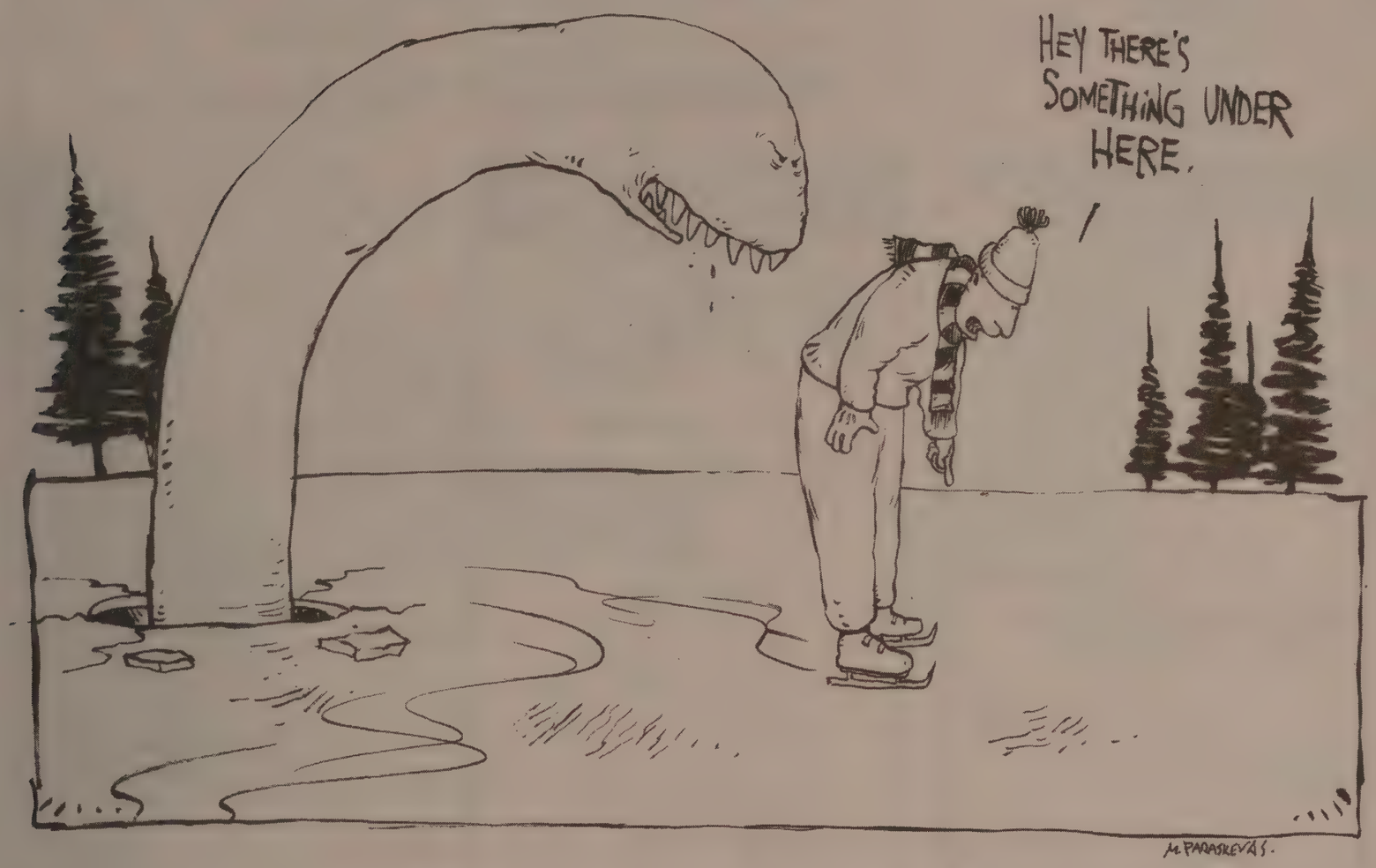

Trapped

Giant Ecuadorian Eel Bangs On The Underside Of The Ice At Lake Agawam

By Dan Rattiner

Sometime around noon last Wednesday, ice skaters in Southampton heard a thump-thump-thumping on the underside of the ice in the northeast corner of Lake Agawam. Some of them had cell phones and called the police to report it. Others went over to the spot and saw what seemed to be a giant creature of some sort under the ice, perhaps thirty feet long, and told everybody to leave the ice immediately. There was fear it might be the giant Ecuadorian Eel that has been seen in these parts in the wintertime in recent years.

In the past, the eel has turned up in Noyac Harbor, in Trout Pond, in Middle Pond in Water Mill and even in the Shinnecock Canal, where he was seen swimming south. Never before had he been spotted in Lake Agawam.

The thumping continued. The police arrived, and the general consensus was that the eel was trapped under the ice.

"I think he's hungry," the Chief said.

Yellow CRIME SCENE tape was put up to cordon off the area. The skaters were told to go home. But though they all changed from skates to boots, most of them remained on the sidewalk in front of Basilico, the skates over their shoulders. This was as close to the situation as they were allowed to get.

> **... he looked again this way and that, licked his lips, belched, and slowly lowered himself down into the water.**

Several fire trucks arrived, and also an ambulance. After some discussion, however, the ambulance was sent away. By this time, a great crowd of people had assembled on Jobs Lane to watch. The Town Environmentalist, Carl Beech, arrived. It was his opinion that a hole should be cut in the ice so that the eel could be fed.

"What would he eat?" the Chief asked.

"I can find out. Probably the same things as a regular eel, but a lot more of it. I think fish. I'll put a call in to the Stranded Seal Program in Riverhead. They would know."

Beech went over toward the comfort station, where he said his cell phone got a better signal, and he made a phone call.

In the meantime, the Chief got into a conversation with the Mayor of Southampton Hamlet, who had just arrived. He noted that

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East Hampton's **Eli Wallach** performed in "Can Can" last week with **Patti LuPone**, **Michael Nouri**, **Reg Rogers** and **Charlotte d'Amboise**, kicking off City Center Encores' 11th season of favorite plays.

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CBS correspondent **Serena Altschul** will be out and about in East Hampton after closing on a shingled, one story house on stilts on Gerard Drive's waterfront for nearly $1.7 million.

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You might see four gorgeous gals together enjoying the Hamptons now that Bridgehampton's **Sarah Jessica Parker,** East Hampton's **Kim Cattrall, Cynthia Nixon** and **Kristin Davis** will have more time to spend here after the last episode of *Sex and the City* airs on Sunday. But there's already talk of a movie, so they'll have to keep the Manolo Blahniks ready to go next to their sandals.

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Sean Combs is working with the Democratic National Committee, enlisted by DNC honcho **Terry McAuliffe** to get out the vote. The two planned strategy at a meeting in Mr. Combs' studio for a trip to the White House in November.

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Willie Ninja, famous for his role in *Paris is Burning,* trained Southampton's **Paris Hilton** for her sizzling runway walks while she was with T Models, the Trump agency. Ms. Hilton, who is currently with the Ford agency, followed in the footsteps of other Ninja students **Iman** and **Grace Jones** in learning the walk. Mr. Ninja premiered a new modeling agency, Eon, last month.

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Southampton's man of steel, **Wilbur Ross**, received approval from US Bankruptcy Court **Chief Judge Mary Walrath** at a hearing in Wilmington, DE, to acquire the assets of the world's largest producer of denim fabrics, Cone Mills Corp., for $46 million and $44 million in assumed debt. Cone Mills, HQ'd in Greensboro, SC, is also one of the country's largest commission printers and a leading producer of wide-jacquard fabrics. WL Ross & Co. acquired Burlington Industries, also in Greensboro, last year and some operations will be combined.

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Investment mogul **Teddy Forstmann** of Southampton was paired with **Vijay Singh** in the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am where they finished two shots behind the first place pair, **Jerry Kelly** and **Robert Halmi**. Mr. Singh earned the crystal trophy for his third win out of the last nine PGA Tour events. His record is the best of any Pro golfer in the last six months.

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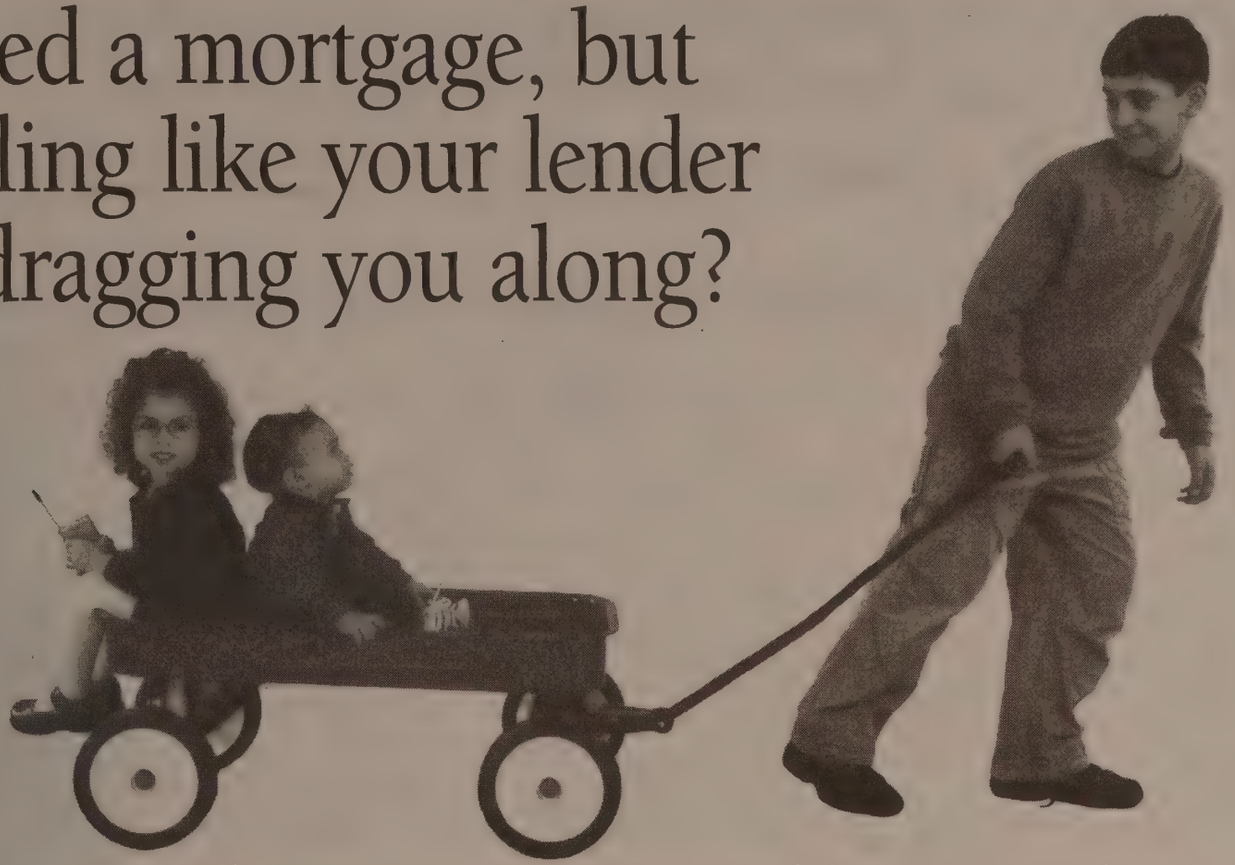

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although there was something to be said for feeding the eel, he was skeptical.

"If we start feeding the eel," he said, "it could turn into a big commitment. It's a cold winter. And if he is trapped, we might have to feed him here for another month or so. You can see he is quite big. Surely he eats a lot. I don't know if we have enough money in the Hamlet budget to accommodate this sort of thing."

Beech returned from the comfort station. "He eats mashed bluefish mixed with oatmeal and salt water. And the Stranded Seal people are sending someone down here to supervise the situation. They say to go to the A & P and the fish market before he gets here. We'll need about a hundred pounds."

At this point, all eyes turned to the ice. The thumping was growing louder. And every once in a while, the eel bumped himself up against the ice's underside, making a thump so loud, the ground would shake.

"This isn't going to work," the Chief said. "We've got a dangerous situation developing here."

"How could it be dangerous?" Beech said. "He's hungry. We have to feed him."

"If he gets out, there's going to be hell to pay."

"Eels can't live out of water. I'm going to the A & P for ten minutes. I'll be back," Beech said.

A few minutes after Beech left, a rhythmic rat-a-tat was heard in the sky. People looked up. There was a helicopter with the name PLUM ISLAND ANIMAL DISEASE LAB, ORIENT, NY written on the side, hovering overhead. The chopper slowly came down and settled on the great lawn beside the comfort station. Two men in white coats climbed out.

"Did you call the Lab?" the Mayor asked.

"I didn't call the Lab," the Chief said.

The first of the two men had a chain saw. The second had a gun. They approached the Mayor and the Chief.

"We can take care of this," one of the men in the white coats said. He introduced himself as Dr. Benjamin Hook, chief of research. The other man was "Butch" Pelligrini, the head of security.

"Everybody step back," Pelligrini said.

"This is my jurisdiction," the Chief said.

Dr. Hook turned to face him. "We're going to cut a hole, stun the creature with a dart, and take it back to the lab for research. We do this all the time."

"We'll need a wrecker and a flatbed," Pelligrini said.

"Who is going to pay for this?" the Mayor asked.

"The Federal government. Just send the bill to the Lab," Dr. Hook said.

Hook waved to the helicopter pilot, and he revved up the engine and flew off. "We'll accompany the eel back to the Lab."

The two men in the white coats now gingerly made their way across the ice to where the eel was still thumping, now louder and more furiously than before, if that was possible.

"Nice eel, nice eel," Dr. Hook said.

With Pelligrini carefully aiming his gun at the ice, Dr. Hook kneeled down, pulled a few times on his chain saw and started it up.

A hundred yards behind him, Beech was approaching, dragging a giant bag of groceries.

"What the heck is going on?" Beech asked.

"This will just hurt for a second, Mr. Eel," Dr. Hook said. "Just a shot between the eyes and it will be all over. Think of it. Heh, heh. You'll be giving your life to science."

"Stand back," the Chief said to Beech. "He's got a gun."

"I thought he said that was a dart gun," the Mayor said.

"It isn't," the Chief said.

Things now happened very fast. The chain

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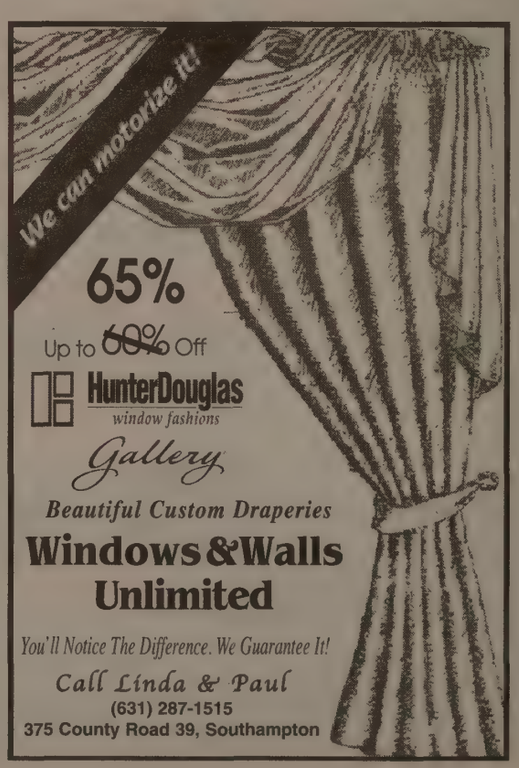

Swimsuit Issue

If Your Eye Wanders Past The Beautiful Women, Guess What! There's Montauk!

By Dan Rattiner

Every January, the annual *Sports Illustrated* Swimsuit Issue comes out. It kind of fits right in with the activities going on in the country in late winter. The Super Bowl. The Academy Awards. Valentine's Day. What a wonderful thing it is, at a time when much of the country is wearing mittens, galoshes, heavy coats and earmuffs, to see the world's most beautiful lovelies clad in, or almost clad in, the tiniest bikinis and bathing suits, enjoying the sun of some southern paradise.

The planning for the issue begins at the New York offices of the magazine almost a year in advance. This year, under the direction of editor Jennifer Kaplan, it appears that two things were decided. One was that, to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the Swimsuit Issue, the locations chosen would not be in the Sandwich Islands or the Canaries or the Galapagos, they would instead celebrate only in America. The girls would pose at sites at resorts in and among the fifty states. The second thing was that, though beaches would be their primary focus, they would also photograph the girls in bathing suits at more inland locations. For example, Marissa Miller would be photographed in her bathing suit in a field of hay in Perry, Iowa. And if a few sheep wandered over to sniff what was going on, well, readers could make of it what they wanted.

Great cover, don't you think?

Sometime in late June, Ms. Kaplan called Gurney's Inn in Montauk and booked six rooms for Labor Day Weekend, 2003. Because of a threat of rain, the shoot was postponed until the week after Labor Day. The staff at this oceanfront Inn eagerly welcomed Ms. Kaplan, four of the world's most beautiful models, a group of photographers, wardrobe people, makeup artists, hairstylists, assistants and assistants to assistants for a five day shoot that took place not only on the beach in front of Gurney's, but also at the Ditch Plains surfing beach, the Montauk Lighthouse and the cliff at Camp Hero. Ms. Kaplan was looking for an isolated cove where they could do nude shots. Camp Hero fit the bill.

Oddly, few people in Montauk paid much attention to all the girls being shot in bathing suits on the beach. Many fashion shoots take place every day in Montauk, and that time of year, many are bathing suit shots.

I spoke to Darren Trott at White's Drug and Department Store in town. It's the biggest store there. If anyone had been aware of it at the time, it would have been her.

"I didn't know they did those shots in town until the magazine came out," she said.

What she did know was that when the magazine came out at the end of January, 2004, it fairly flew off the shelves. Just as it had in previous years. After all, they "only" print three million of them.

"I think not many people look past the girls," she said, noting that she hasn't been able to get her distributor to get her any more. "We hope to have more on Thursday if they have any."

Inside, Tamila Diaz-Rahi is photographed in a Jean Paul Gaultier bathing suit at the Montauk Lighthouse, Jessica White is in a red, white and blue bikini by Shay Todd, photographed in a surfer van at Ditch Plains and Elsa Benitez is seen in a wetsuit — just the bottom, thank you — holding a two piece navy blue and white bikini by La Perla, at the cliffs overlooking the ocean at Camp Hero.

"All together there are about fourteen shots in the magazine taken at different locations

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A '59 BUICK ROADMASTER SWIMS FOR HOME

By Dan Rattiner

I would say that the most remarkable news photograph taken so far this year was the one shot from a helicopter circling around the Florida Straights last week. Down below, on the surface of the sea, there is a green 1959 Buick Regal sedan slowly chugging through the water, trying to make the 90 mile journey from Havana to Florida without getting noticed.

Eleven people are in the Buick — I bet you didn't know an old Buick could accommodate eleven people — and in the picture, you can see four inflatable orange life rafts bobbing nearby. Nobody is in the life rafts. Yet. The United States Coast Guard, after having inflated the life rafts aboard a large gunboat and throwing them over the side, has announced over a bullhorn — in Spanish — that they are about to fire a fusillade of bullets at the Buick, and if the people don't come out and swim to the lifeboats, they will go down with the, uh, ship.

Earlier on, people were lounging around in the sun on top of the hood, the roof and the trunk, or sitting inside, but now, with the Coast Guard gunboat in view, the passengers have scrambled inside the car and locked the doors.

Can the Buick get away? Inside, the driver drops it into second gear and pushes the pedal to the metal. The Buick roars angrily and accelerates from seven to eight knots. There is no way they are going to get away.

According to all sources involved — the

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in Montauk," Ingrid Lemme, the public relations director at Gurney's Inn said. "There's a lot of cliffs and wooden stairways going up them and so forth." She pointed to one shot of Jessica White wearing a red and white polka dot bikini by David and Goliath while posing next to a beach cabana chair on the beach at Gurney's. There's another of White in a swimsuit by Pinel Swimwear with some lobsters.

"They were alive," Lemme told me. "You can still see the bands on their claws. They were photographed and then returned to the kitchen from where they had come. They wound up as dinner."

Lemme said that during the shoots a number of guests stood out on their balconies with binoculars to see what they could see. She also said that one guest said he'd like to buy the beach cabana chair. But management said no.

Shots for the swimsuit issue were taken at the Wawbeek Hotel in the Adironacks, The Moorings at Islamorada, Florida, the Wahweap Lodge in Lake Powell, Arizona, the Wyndham El Conquistador Resort and Golden Door Spa in Puerto Rico, the Monmouth Plantation in Natchez, Mississippi, where one of the girls was photographed in a cotton field, the UXU Ranch in Wyoming, the Shore Club in Florida and the St. Regis Monarch Beach Resort and Spa.

The biggest kick, for Montauk anyway, was that the editors chose a shot of model Veronica Varekova at Gurney's Inn for the cover. Veronica wears a red bikini by Eres. And the copy on the cover reads "40th anniversary issue. Veronica Varekova in Montauk, N.Y., helps SI make America a little more beautiful."

The fact is if you had this vague feeling the East End was especially more lovely on the weekend after Labor Day last summer, you probably have *Sports Illustrated* to thank for it. •

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Coast Guard, the news media and a woman named Kiriat Lopez, who lives in Lake Worth, Florida, is a cousin of one of the men on board, and knows everything about this attempted escape from Castro — this naval encounter took place around 4 p.m. on Wednesday, February 4. The Buick had left Havana Harbor two days earlier and was now within ten miles of the town of Marathon in the Florida Keys. If it could only get to Marathon, the people on board could escape into the safety of the Miami Cuban community. If they were intercepted at sea by a Coast Guard vessel, all was lost. They would be returned to their native land. Those were the rules of the game.

"He hates it in Cuba," Kiriat Lopez told reporters, referring to her cousin.

As this is written, the eleven Cubans are in Coast Guard custody, awaiting a decision by the United States Court system and the United States Immigration Service about what is to be done. The Buick has been sunk. Target practice for the Coast Guard. In the end, inside the Buick with the doors locked, there had been a standoff between the husbands and wives, as to whether or not they should surrender. The defroster was not working properly. The windows fogged up. They finally rolled down the windows and climbed out into the water with their hands up, and then swam to the rafts.

There is something amazing about this photograph, about the idea of a great old Buick with its tailfins held high, its chrome air intakes on the fenders — four on a side indicating it's a V-8 — plowing through the waters, its AM radio blaring rock and roll tunes, making its way home toward America and freedom.

"Sir. Lookout reports three shrimp boats to the starboard, a small cargo freighter to the southwest and, oh, a 1959 Buick sedan. Any instructions?" •

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Life On Earth

If What Happens Is Reincarnation, You May Be In For A Surprise

By Dan Rattiner

As you probably know, 2003 was the third warmest year on the planet since they started keeping records of it. The warmest was 1999. This may seem an odd statistic, considering we've just come through a winter where it got so cold your breath froze, fell to the ground and shattered into pieces every day. With the wind chill, it got to minus ten. This winter, in northern Russia, the temperature dropped to minus thirty. People died. But then people also died, by the thousands, in France and northern Italy last summer when an unexpected spell of temperatures over a hundred degrees lingered for weeks. We experienced dozens of days in the nineties here — a record. We also had a wildly active hurricane season along our coast this past summer. We were spared a direct hit, but during September the weather service tracked sixteen hurricanes. The average is nine, but they may have to move the average upward. More and more hurricanes come every year.

"One has to hit us soon," a local forecaster said. "It's just a matter of time."

More statistics. The number of registered automobiles in America last year exceeded the number of people with driver's licenses. If you have a driver's license, you'll have a car. Or two. Or three. Cars are the main culprit in the warming of the planet.

I read an article in the paper last week that the Chinese city of Shanghai has banned bicycles on its main highways.

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A DEMOCRATIC LIBERAL RIGHT WING REPUBLICAN

By Dan Rattiner

Here is why George W. Bush is going to be so hard to beat in the November election. — he talks like a Democrat. That's what Kerry, or whoever, is up against. Bush talks about the virtues of lower taxes, which is the Democrat argument. He talks against dictators and for the virtues of freedom and democracy around the world, which is another Democrat argument. He talks about rights for illegal aliens, which is another Democratic argument.

What is a Democrat to do? Repeal the tax cuts! There are lots of dictators out there we could get along with! The hell with illegal aliens! These positions are how you defeat a Republican?

With this talk, Bush can round up a good part of the Democratic party. As for the Republicans, they know that underneath Bush, is a Republican, and a rather Draconian one, to boot. Spending for health, education and the environment goes down. Spending for the military goes up. What can you do?

A good way to describe the difference between a Republican and a Democrat is as follows.

A Republican is driving down the highway on a dark night, and by the side of the road, he sees a woman standing alongside a car with a flat tire. He remembers he has a date at the club and he mustn't be late. He drives by.

A Democrat is driving down the highway on a dark night, and by the side of the road, he sees a woman standing alongside a car with a flat tire. He stops, gets out and tells her he will fix it, then gets out his tools and rolls up his sleeves. In ten minutes, the axle is broken, the wheel rim bolts are stripped and the jack has cracked in half.

Now there is the Bush version.

Bush is driving down the highway on a dark night, and by the side of the road, sees a woman standing alongside a car with a flat tire. He stops, gets out and tells her he will fix it, remembers he has a date at the club, kicks her in the shins and then drives off.

Now that I think about it, other than the part about the shins, it sounds better than the other two.

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Anyone who has visited that city knows bicycles are the main means of transportation there. Well, then you haven't been there lately. In 1998, the average went down to 85% on bicycles or public transportation. In 2003, the total was 50%, with the rest in automobiles. So now, it's too dangerous for bikes on the main roads. They are now relegated to back roads.

Shanghai, by the way, is the largest city in China. Twenty million people live there. There are more than a dozen cities in China with more than ten million people in them. The population of China is five times that of America. And China has just discovered automobiles.

A report from an American think tank in Oakland, California, this past week stated that human demand on the world's resources is now exceeding the capacity of the earth to provide those resources. In the old days, the very, very, very old days, all people on the planet lived simply, growing vegetables, raising animals for meat, hides, wool and milk, fishing, building simple shelters and simple wood fires for warmth and cooking. Nobody traveled much.

Now, it's different. The think tank measured six human activities and determined that in 1960, humans were consuming 70% of the earth's ability to regenerate itself. In 1999, that number rose to 120%. In other words, it would take about 1.2 Earths to be able to regenerate what humans use.

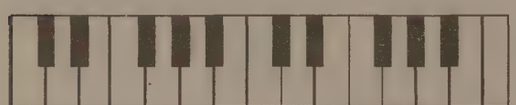
I recently returned home from a trip to Hawaii. Some years ago, I lived on Maui for five months. We went to a beach every day back then that was a twenty minute drive down a dirt road, through the woods beyond the tourist area. Locals lived oceanfront along that road, with the chickens, goats and horses. The road ran like that about three miles to the beach. Today, it is all gone. The dirt road is four lanes, and the beach is being enjoyed only by those visiting five oceanfront beach resorts. I have no complaints about the change. There are still wild beaches further down the road. But the Earth is groaning. The change in electricity, air conditioning, auto use, pool heating, golf course watering and so forth and so on is enormous. These hotels are lit up like Christmas trees twenty four seven.

Here on the East End, I live on a hillside overlooking Three Mile Harbor. It's a nice spot with a water view. From up on the side of the hill, I can look down over the road, some bulkheading and ships in boat slips, and look across the Harbor. Recently, the cost of my homeowner insurance policy doubled. Why? Part of my house is less than 150 feet from the water. There has been a huge increase in the cost of insuring homes near water because of the damage being done to them by the increasing activity of the weather. In addition to the doubled cost, my deductible in the event of "wind, flood or hurricane" damage has gone from $500 to $45,000.

I made inquiries about this. I pointed out that in the thirty years I have lived here, the water in the Harbor has only once risen to the level of the sidewalk along the docks, and never to the level of the road, which is at a seven foot elevation. My house on the hillside is at a 22 foot elevation. It made no difference to the insurance company. Someday, apparently, Three Mile Harbor will rise up. I'm now of a mind to agree with them.

Our President seems to be of the belief that if we westernize and democratize the world it will be a happier and better place. I think he is right. Cars and Burger Kings and malls and all the rest are such fun. They really are. It really does beat milking a goat every day. And so we grow fat. And tolerant of others. And glad for our freedoms.

Some day soon, a wild swing in the weather is going to cause hundreds and even thousands of deaths in America. Then there will be another and another. It will be a wake up call. The religious zealots will say it is a message from God. Kill the infidels. But it won't be a message from God. It will be a message from the Solar System. Watch out. You think there might have been life on Mars? Some day, if things keep up like this, we'll be looking to see if there was life on Earth. •



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Interpretation

Shinnecocks Followed? Escorted? A Coincidence? Racial Profiling?

By Dan Rattiner

These are the facts. Last Wednesday, members of the Shinnecock Indian Nation drove from Southampton to Shelter Island Town Hall to protest the desecration of a tribal burial site on the island. On the way there, State Police cars were seen going in the same direction. When the Indians got on the ferry that goes to the island, the State Police cars got on, too. Once on the island, the State Police set up a headquarters in the parking lot of Shelter Island Town Hall — they had K9 police dogs with them — and after the Indians protested and began the drive back to the ferry, the police went along to the ferry, too. Then the police were seen on the road going back to Southampton alongside the tribal vehicles.

The Indians are filing a protest with the Shelter Island Town against the State Police. They say the State Police's activities were racially motivated. Racial profiling is against the law in America.

Maybe it was racial profiling. But maybe there was another explanation.

Maybe it was routine. The police often show up unannounced when demonstrators are about. They were at the Legion Hall in Amagansett last week when protesters were there to derail a planned building moratorium.

Maybe it was a tail. Maybe somebody they were following was from Southampton, and going to the meeting.

Maybe it was an exception. Usually, it's the Town or Village Police that show up to keep law and order when there is a demonstration. But in this case, Walter Richards, the man who owns the property where the alleged grave desecration took place, is a Shelter Island Town Police Officer. It would have been inappropriate for the Town Police to be keeping law and order when one of their own is the subject of the protest.

Maybe they were invited. The Shelter Island Town Supervisor said he invited the State Police to the meeting.

Maybe they were an official escort for the Shinnecocks. The Shinnecocks are hoping to get Federal recognition as an independent nation. If the President of Ghana were coming to Shelter Island, the State Police would escort him. Police dogs might even run alongside.

Maybe it was coincidence. The Indians were going somewhere. The Police were going some-

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where. There is only one ferry to Shelter Island. It goes back and forth. And whoever is at the dock when the ferry comes, gets to go across. Ex-husbands have been seen to glare at their ex-wives as they board the ferry. It's a democracy.

Maybe it was a tail. Maybe somebody they were following was from Southampton, and going to the meeting. The State Police barracks are in Southampton. The road from the barracks to the ferry is the same one you'd take if you were coming from the Reservation.

Maybe it was harassment. It's against the law for the police to harass people, but it's happened. It isn't the same as racial profiling, because with harassment it could just be anybody.

Maybe it was police business. A K-9 test set up in the Shelter Island Town Hall parking lot. Maybe coordinated with the Town Police there.

Maybe it was a show of solidarity. With the police officer being protested against.

Or maybe it was a show of solidarity with the Indians.

Maybe they were there to protect. To Serve and Protect is the police person's motto. The Shinnecocks had announced they were coming. The police came along to make sure they got there and back safely. They'd do that for any group. There are a lot of crazies out there.

Maybe it was a surprise raid on the ferry. Gross Weight tonnage ordinances. Captain sobriety ordinances. Staff courtesy ordinances. Pollution ordinances. Coast Guard inspection ordinances.

Maybe it's frustration. Officer Richards, in or out of uniform, didn't show up at the meeting. There are only two police officers on duty at any one time on Shelter Island. One of them was bound to be at Town Hall. It wasn't him. So maybe the Indians fired off their letter because of that.

Maybe they regret it now, the letter sent in the heat of passion.

In fact, Officer Richards hasn't been seen on the island for a month. People say he is on vacation. He earned it. Got the points. Deserved it.

Probably hasn't read the letter.

The facts are that Walter Richards and his wife, Suzanne, bought horses last fall and wanted to build a barn for them on their property. They got the permit, the contractor started to dig the foundation, and they found the Indian remains four feet down. It wasn't like there was a cemetery there visible for anyone to see.

American laws about what you find under the ground are fuzzy. They are even fuzzier if it's a native American burial site. As for even the fuzzy laws, how far down does American sovereignty extend, anyway? Who knows? Dig deep enough you get to China.

The Richards did the right thing. At first, anyway. They stopped construction, called the authorities, the anthropologists, the Shinnecocks. Come over and have a look. The remains were removed and studied. Six Native Americans, buried on their sides, side by side, hundreds of years ago. Maybe there are more.

The Richards asked — what do we do? Meaning, what do we do with our horses now that winter's coming on? Nobody could give them a meaningful answer. And so, because it was getting really cold and they had their building permit, they finished the barn to keep their horses warm.

That is their explanation, anyway. But there could be others. We'll just have to wait and see.

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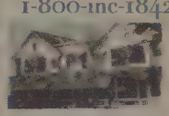

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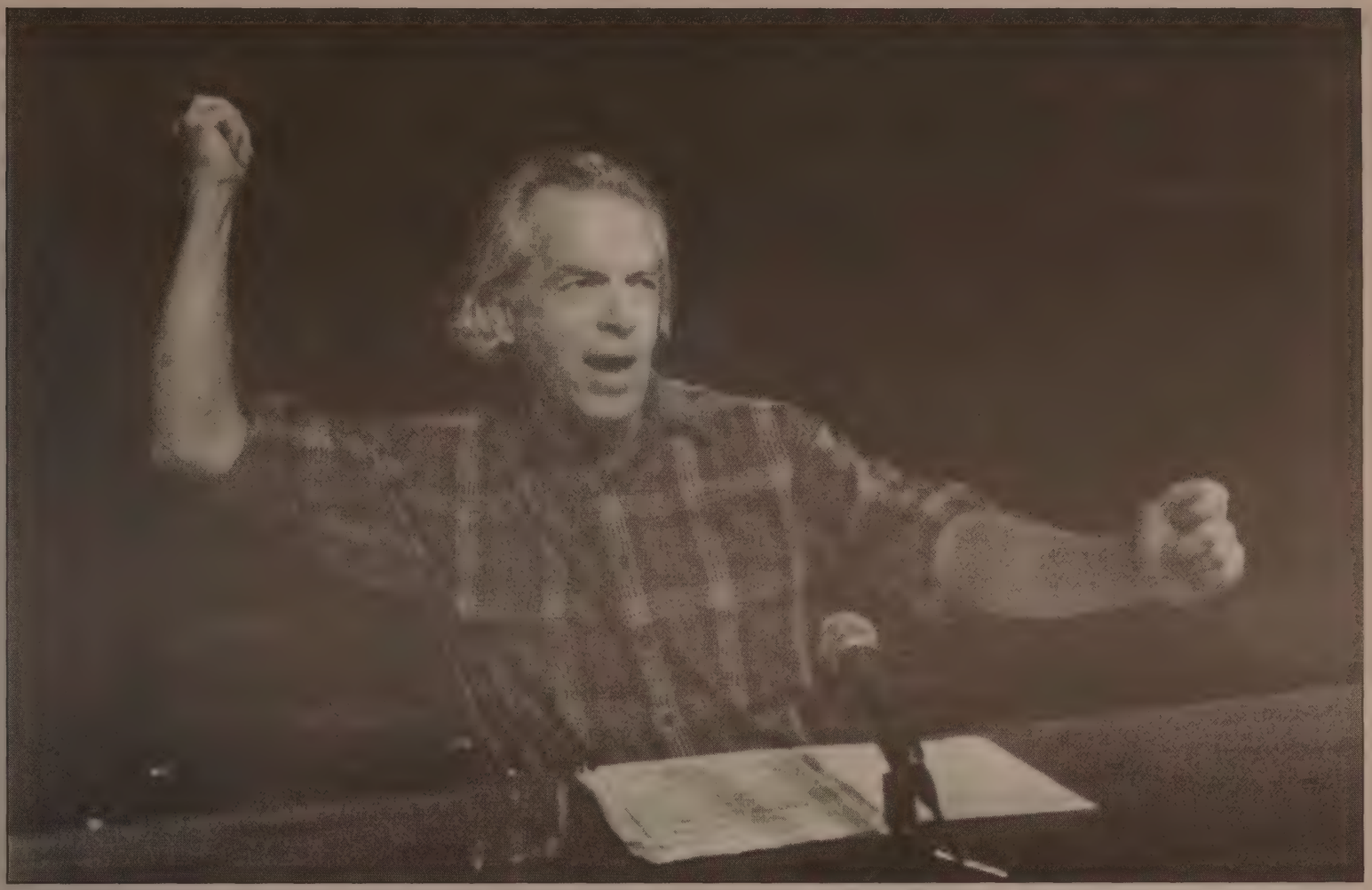

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Spalding Gray in performance

Spalding, Explained

The Brilliant Spalding Gray May Have Left Clues To His Disappearance

By Oliver Peterson

In the final moments of Spalding Gray's monologue, *It's a Slippery Slope,* he says to his unwitting ski partner, "...I don't know if I'm having the time of my life or trying to kill myself." The old man answers, "When you're in that place that's when you know you're alive." The monologue is full of mostly humorous references to suicide and self-destruction, but in the end it is about birth and rebirth, and working through regret. As most people know by now, Gray has been missing since Saturday, January 10th. *New York* reported that after a cancelled flight to Aspen that day, the actor and writer took his kids, Forrest 11, and Theo 6, to see a matinee of *Big Fish* at the Loew's theater on 11th and 3rd in Manhattan's East Village. They had a late lunch at Haveli, an Indian restaurant on 2nd Avenue, then returned home. At 6:30 p.m., Gray left the boys with his 17-year-old stepdaughter, Marissa, and claimed he was meeting a friend for a drink. The last confirmed contact Spalding Gray has had with anyone he knows was with his son, Theo, who received a phone call around 10:30 p.m. — Spalding was "just checking in," and hung up after a soft "I love you." The call has since been traced to the Staten Island ferry terminal, draping a veil of pessimism over the possible events following Gray's disappearance.

So where is Spalding Gray? Rumor has it that Russo recently saw a psychic who claimed he is alive and well in upstate New York.

The longtime Sag Harbor and later North Haven resident has publicly and privately battled depression for years. Acquaintances report seeing him in fluctuating states of emaciation and general disrepair, to robust renewal, over some twenty years. It is no secret that Gray has lived his life in a neurotic battle within, which he chronicled with charm and candor in a number of brilliant monologues that the actor performs as himself. Gray uses these performances as a vent for his hopes, obsessions, and fears; usually ending with a kind of resolution that involves facing them and moving on. *Morning Noon and Night, Swimming to Cambodia,* and *It's a Slippery Slope,* all end with some reference to death and acceptance or the choice to continue on for the better parts offered by life. *Morning Noon and Night* is a touching piece describing Gray's life with his wife Kathie Russo and their children. The last lines have Gray fantasizing about having an aneurysm and dying on the floor of a men's room, only to be

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brought back by the love for his son. "...that earthly love [Gray] still feel[s] for Forrest...keeps the part of [him] that needs to dissolve from dissolving." Things like this make it difficult for some to accept the widely shared notion that Gray took his own life on that freezing January night. Others, however, might see it as exactly the kind of thing that supports the theories. Gray's depression took a decidedly darker turn after he suffered a grievous series of physical and emotional injuries from a car crash in Ireland in June 2001. With a broken hip and fractured skull, he was left with difficulty walking and a disfiguring scar on his forehead. It is speculated that the head injury and poor care in Ireland along with frustrations from his visible damage may have accelerated Gray's depression. The following years have been anything but easy for Gray and his family.

Gray's mother committed suicide at 52 in 1967. This may have contributed to his many allusions to the act, but after the accident, his reality came much closer to his words. In September of 2002, the heavily medicated Gray was talked down from the Sag Harbor Bridge. He jumped ship the same year in Sag Harbor, then decided to live. But most disturbingly congruent with current news, a year later, Gray left a suicide note on Russo's answering machine the night he was escorted from the Staten Island ferry by police. He had placed his wallet down and was wandering dangerously close to the rail. Finally, this past October, Gray went through with his previous plan to jump the bridge in Sag Harbor. It was reported to be his most serious attempt although local kids have been making the 25-foot plunge as a kick, for years.

So where is Spalding Gray? Rumor has it that Russo recently saw a psychic who claimed he is alive and well in upstate New York. It's possible, as many of his old New York cronies like Lou Reed have farms there. The question is — would they be so insensitive as to not let Kathie know his whereabouts? The answer — most likely not. Perhaps Spalding did become so fed up with his state of being that he had to vanish in one way or another. He recently moved from a beloved refuge in Sag Harbor to a North Haven house he felt no connection with. His facial scar was a frustrating malady to the presentation of his livelihood — at least maybe to him. He was on a battery of antidepressants and anti-psychotic medications. He was not doing himself or his loved ones the good he is capable of. Maybe Gray realized this and did what only he knows is best for him. Maybe he's on another adventure to reconcile his problems the way he knows how — by living and developing the answers as he goes. Maybe, maybe not. But isn't it pretty to think so? •

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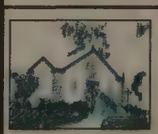

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Who's Here

Ishan Arvell Johnson
Classical Singer

By Susan Whitney Simm

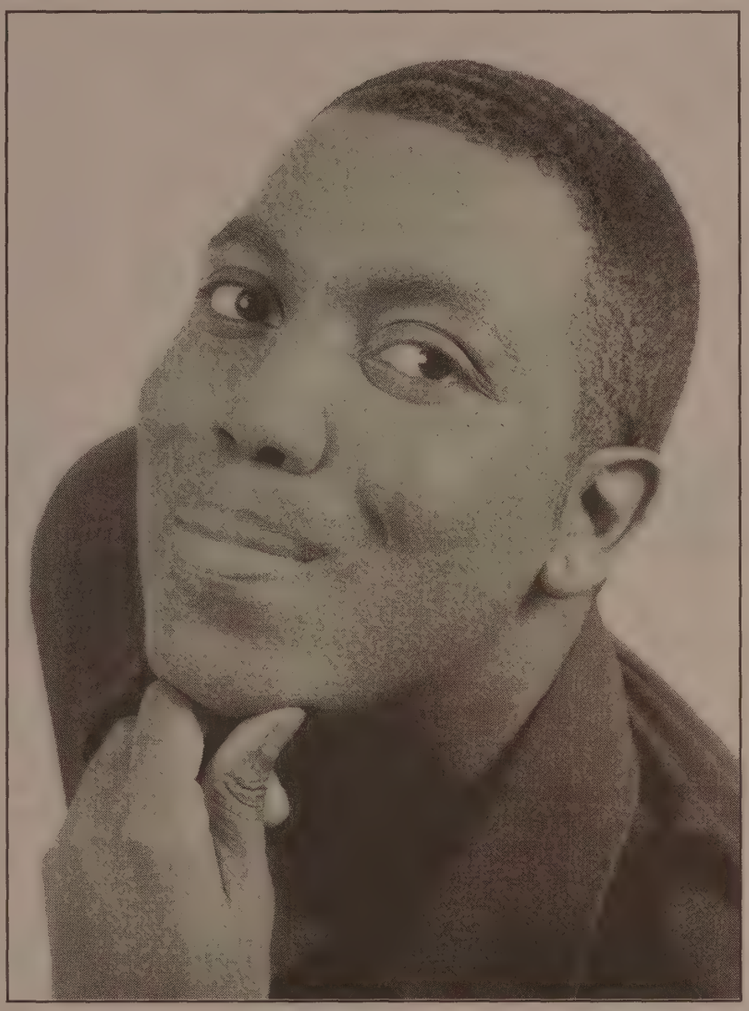
A young man grows up in a small Long Island town. He discovers a passion for music at the age of seven, the string bass at nine, and his own voice at fourteen. At eighteen, he goes away to college in New England and, two years later, makes his Boston Symphony debut by opening the orchestra's 2003 season as a soloist at Carnegie Hall.

Today, at twenty, the young man returns to his hometown for a benefit concert at Riverhead's Vail-Leavitt Theatre. Tomorrow he heads back to Boston to record a soundtrack for a new Steven Spielberg movie starring Richard Dreyfuss. Meet Ishan Arvell Johnson, and his version of the American Dream.

Ishan is disarmingly warm, intelligent, and mature beyond his years. He has an astounding memory, which surely serves him well in his profession. A tension, a positive and palpable energy, surrounds him. He seems destined to do great things.

Born in West Islip to very young parents Ishan describes as "kids in love," he moved to Riverhead with his mother when he was 6 years old. Though his parents separated shortly after his birth, Ishan is close to his supportive extended family, many of whom attended his Vail-Leavitt concert.

"I did not have a relationship with my father until I was thirteen," said Ishan at an interview conducted last Saturday at the Riverhead home of his voice coach, John Eyre. He states this simply as a fact, leveling no criticism. This evenhandedness would prove typical of Ishan's approach to many things, as I would discover during the course of the interview.



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In elementary school, Ishan was labeled a Special Ed student because someone misdiagnosed him as suffering from Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder. He was assigned a tutor, an older student, who sat by his side in class. The irony of this, Ishan explains, is that someone who truly had this problem would struggle with music "because its study requires so much concentration."

But it would be a student tutor that introduced 8-year-old Ishan to music in the form of a recorder (a clarinet-like instrument). Then, in fourth grade Ishan witnessed a demonstration in the auditorium of string instruments. He fell in love with the bass. That instrument would give him a reason "to go through school pursuing music. If it weren't for the string bass, I would probably be in law school right now. The bass was being demonstrated by an older student I thought was really cool, and I wanted to be just like him."

Though it would take Ishan an entire year to master the bass' bowing technique, he would become the second best bass player at the LISFA (Long Island Strings Festival Association) competition by the time he was twelve.

"My bass at school was made of white fiberglass. And when I went to LISFA, the whole orchestra was amazed. Here I am, the only African American in LISFA that year, playing this white fiberglass bass. People would say, jokingly, 'Hey, there's the black guy with the white bass.'"

"I love popular music. I love all music. Except for country. There's something too depressing about it."

Even though he continues to play today, Ishan's love affair with the string bass would end, and for a surprisingly practical reason. The string bass is a big instrument, and Ishan simply got tired of lugging it around. And besides, when he entered high school and met chorus director Philip Roberts, Ishan discovered his voice.

"Philip Roberts is a musicianly man. He was a real presence, the father I didn't have around every day showing interest in what I was doing. Every time I saw him, I wanted more."

Roberts would introduce Ishan, a bass-baritone, to German composer Kurt Weill, and Weill's "Lost in the Stars" was the first NYSSMA (New York State School Music Association) song Ishan sang. Around this same time, Ishan would also meet his coach John Eyre, and John's former student Joan Petrella, a soprano and voice teacher responsible for getting Ishan a scholarship to study with her at Riverhead's Community School of the Arts.

"John is tough. He believes that you must stay true to the composer. And Joan, without her I wouldn't have gone to college to study music."

During his last month of high school, Ishan gave a little concert, sponsored by the East End Arts Council, in the Baiting Hollow garden of the Van de Weterings. Many local well-to-do residents attended and suddenly Ishan found that he had not only admirers, but patrons. The Boston Conservatory of Music, which Ishan was to attend in the fall, was expensive. And though he was awarded over $100,000 in scholarships at graduation from Riverhead High School, he was a little shocked to find so much of his tuition paid for by new acquaintances.

While attending school at the Conservatory, Ishan became the youngest member of the Boston Symphony Orchestra (BSO) choir, known as the Tanglewood Festival Chorus, a group of both amateurs and professionals. He is still a member today, and it is with members of this group that he will record the Spielberg soundtrack.

Ishan was also asked, as a result of this association, to audition for a BSO opening night solo at Carnegie Hall. He was chosen by a panel of thirteen judges that included such luminaries as BSO artistic administrator Anthony Fogg, and world-renowned conductor Bernard Haitink, former music director of London's Royal Opera.

But the Conservatory would prove not to be the answer for Ishan, who failed to thrive in the passive, unstructured environment. He did, however, meet the great Boston baritone Robert Honeysucker, an alumnus of Boston University. Ishan had his bags packed to return home, which he believes would have been a devastating mistake, when

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Honeysucker brought him to BU to audition. He was accepted and began studies there in September 2003, a month before his Carnegie Hall debut.

"The Conservatory was a musical theatre school, and I wanted to study classical voice. But if I had left school, I don't know if I would ever have returned. I would have missed out on so many things."

At Boston University Ishan was surprised to find Dr. Z. Edmund Tolliver, a Riverhead native (his mother still lives in Flanders), on the staff. Ishan had met Tolliver, a towering figure at 6'7", at John's studio three years earlier. This made the transition from one school to another much easier for Ishan, and today he thrives in BU's academic environment.

And what about popular music? Does it have a place in Ishan's life?

"I love popular music. It's a break from classical. I like R&B singer Brandi, Christina Aguilera. I like some of Third Eye Blind, Sugar Ray. I love OutKast. I think it's important for people in certain music fields to at least understand other types of music. OutKast members should go see an opera. That band is making people happy just as soprano Renée Fleming is making people happy in "La Traviata." I love all music. Except for country. There's something too depressing about it."

Ishan also enjoys rap and hip hop. In fact, he recently sang backup vocals for rapper DJ Infinity. But he's quick to point out that this was merely freelancing. He DID get paid. And it beats working in the school cafeteria.

Future gigs for Ishan include covering a Tanglewood Festival Chorus opening night solo in New York for Robert Honeysucker in a production by Wynton Marsalis.

"The Tanglewood Chorus is ninety percent white. There are only a few African American members. And the production includes Ebonics, and some gospel elements. I think Marsalis really took some risks." (Premieres in Boston were well received last November.)

Speaking of minorities, I ask Ishan how he's dealt with issues such as racism in his own life.

"I have to thank God, and my family. My family has always been behind me, and they have never limited me. It's coming together now, but I've had major issues to fight. I've definitely had racism to fight. I was around the corner of a hall in high school when I heard someone, a teacher, talk about my role in a school play. 'He can't play his brother,' the teacher was saying, 'because he's black. You can't cast him in that role.' And then there was the time a teacher said to my face, 'Stop sounding so black all the time.' But I've also dealt with hassles from my African American peers for listening to Sugar Ray and not wearing black clothing labels. I've even been criticized by black adults who feel that I'm not a 'traditional African American,' whatever that is. There aren't a lot of black people in the classical music industry. But I've dealt with this issue already, and I'm learning to deal with it better."

At this point, Ishan doesn't have aspirations to be an opera singer. He feels that it would be limiting, and he wants to reach a broader audience. He might end up on Broadway, where his natural theatricality would serve him very well. But for now he's content to work hard on improving his voice, and make concert appearances whenever possible. Ishan does not take his talent for granted. He knows that to succeed in this world, you can't ever stop trying, and that support from family and mentors can make all the difference.

Back in 2000, when Ishan went to audition for Joan Petrella at the Riverhead Community School of the Arts, she said to him afterward, "If you don't continue to sing, the world might miss out on something." It was a fortunate young man who heard those words. •

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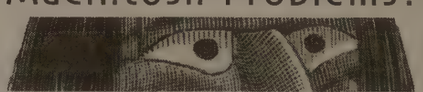

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The Sheltered Islander By Sally Flynn

Observations of an Islander #286
Love and Garriage...

A month ago, I herniated a disc. I've never had any back problems before and I've never been on Percocet before. I think I'm getting addicted because I'm starting to hallucinate. I'm starting to see gay couples getting "married" on TV. I cut back on the drugs, but they were still there. I have lotsa gay friends and I am totally for legal unions with all the benefits and taxations thereof, but how about the gay community showing a little respect for the straight community? Isn't this a two way street? Marriage is for straight people and why can't we keep it? How about gay people get "garried" instead of married? If someone says they are garried, I'll know they are gay and if they say they are married I'll know they're straight. Marriage is an institution that goes back into antiquity and creates the core unit of society; man, woman, child, mortgage. Garriage, or any other name they would like to call it, can be a new institution made just for homosexuals, and why not?

It's already very hard on Shelter Island to keep track of who is with whom, and if people now have to ask, "He's married? To a man or woman?" then it's going to complicate everything. Gossip will be seriously hindered by having to factor in the sexes of the married people. If someone is cheating on his/her spouse, you'll have to ask the sex of the cheatee as well as the cheator, just to keep it all correct. It will cause massive delays on the lines in the IGA as Islanders cross check the sexual orientation of all the players involved in any scandal.

Plus, changing the definition of marriage into a free for all will open the gates for plural marriage. If two people of any sex can be married, why not three or four or more? Imagine one man with three wives? He'll have three times the risk of dying from a PMS rage. And what are the chances he could remember three wives' birthdays? Imagine one woman with three husbands? Think it's hard to get one man to take out the garbage now? Can imagine three La-Z-Boys in your living room? Can you imagine listening to ESPN for the rest of your life? Can you, in your worst nightmare, imagine what your house would look like with three men incapable of doing housework?

Next, PETA will get involved and demand equal rights for all mammals. Man's best friend will no longer be his dog, the dog might be his wife, which happens sometimes anyway...or the dog may be his husband. If someone tells me "She married a real dog...." Should I look for a woman with a man? With a woman? With a Saint Bernard? Or with a Saint Bernardette?

If marriage is wide open for anyone in love... cousins will really be able to marry.. and uncles and nieces and brother and sisters and other DNA combos as well. Legally, they would have to win. To deny two people in love the right to marry on the basis of similar DNA is prejudicial, and ultimately could not be banned by the courts. On the surface this seems bizarre, but did you ever think you'd see gay people getting "married" on TV? Did you think we'd ever have a Polish Pope?

I thought the concept of family members marrying was abhorrent too, but then I thought about my super-handsome first cousins, James and Timothy Sheehan, and my cutie pie second cousin Barry Krsnak.... Interfamily marriage has got some real potential....especially on Shelter Island with so many big extended families.

There will, of course, be an idiot who will claim the right to marry an inanimate object. That sounds ludicrous until you think about how many men are madly in love with their boats. Tell a Shelter Island man in love with his boat that he can marry her and deduct her purchase cost and all her maintenance costs on his taxes, and the line to get a 'man and boat' marriage license will wrap around the island three times.

Of course, if I were a divorce lawyer, I'd be in favor of any combination of things and people getting married because it would create so many fun and new ways to extrapolate financial settlements, visitation rights, etc. Finally something more than just the same old 'he said, she said'. We'd have 'he said, he said', 'she said she said', 'they said, she said', and off we go! Divorce law would be a fun and exciting new field!

I grew up in the generation of Flower Power and Free Love, but this generation is so far ahead of mine in the Free Love race, they have lapped the field! I'm upping my dosage of Percocet today, until calling apples oranges makes sense.

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Conflicted

by Michael Culp

David sat slumped in his red leather chair, weary, introspective and totally relaxed. His breathing was shallow and his body felt light, capable of floating right out of the building, over the Brooklyn Bridge, east along the Long Island Expressway, down over Southampton Village and into the great room of his house by the sea. For a moment, he closed his eyes and imagined he was there. Almost everyone else in the department was long gone, and the air was still. Hell, it was a Friday evening in August. What was *he* doing sitting behind his desk, pretending to read e-mails? Suddenly the silence surrounding him was broken by the muffled sound of shoes on new carpet. Who'd be here at 7:00? A security guard? An analyst who had forgotten something important? The cleaning people? The answer surprised him.

"Why aren't you home?" asked Samantha Smeralda as she reached David's door and looked in.

"I could ask you the same thing."

"I'm going to see Aerosmith at The Garden tonight. Wanna come?"

"Oh, no thanks. I haven't been to a rock concert in a long time. I used to go all the time, you know, when I was young and cool. But not in a while."

"Who did you see?"

"I used to go some place that closed before you were born, I fear. . .The Fillmore East." David waited for signs of recognition. There were none.

"In the 1960s and 1970s, a rock promoter named Bill Graham operated sister concert halls in New York and San Francisco. The Fillmore East and The Fillmore West. The Fillmore East was on Second Avenue, around 6th Street. It had 3,000 seats and an amazing sound system. If you were nimble, you could get seats in the first five to ten rows of the orchestra to see almost every famous band on the planet."

Samantha was intrigued.

"I remember seeing Mountain one New Year's Eve at the Fillmore. Did you ever hear of them?"

"I think so."

"Leslie West?"

"I think I saw him on a Howard Stern video once playing Mississippi Queen?"

"That's him. But Leslie was 25 years old when I saw him. He's 55 now. He was huge when he was 25, tall and heavy, and he had this enormous Afro even though he was white. He played guitar, and he played loud, which made Mountain sound really good. It sounds very dated today, but Mountain was a very-hard-rock band 30 years ago. The bass player was Felix Pappalardi, and he was 5'9", maybe, and thin. He and Leslie looked ridiculous standing next to each other on stage.

"Anyway, that night Mountain came on stage in total darkness. We heard them tuning up, and it was very loud, and you knew you were about to be blown ten rows back the minute they started their first song. It was very exciting. The audience was screaming Leslie's name. And then, we heard Bill Graham's voice. Bill didn't emcee every concert at the Fillmore but he always did the important ones. At a minute to midnight, we heard Bill say, 'Ladies and gentlemen, Mountain,' and the stage lights went up, and there they were. Corky Laing in the middle, high up on his drum platform, Steve Knight on bass, all the way to the left, Felix between Steve and Corky, and Leslie all the way to the right, where I was sitting. Behind Steve were four speakers, two on top of two. The same behind Felix. The same behind Leslie. Four musicians dwarfed by three 12–by–20–foot banks of speakers. I had never seen Mountain before in concert and I never did again because they broke up after only a few years, but it was one of the best concerts I ever saw. Sometimes I think I can still hear my ears ringing from it."

"God," said Samantha. "I wish I could've been there. Sometimes when I go to The Garden or Giants Stadium, I feel like I'm a mile from the stage."

"You probably are. So, you like Aerosmith."

"Oh I love 'em. I know they're old, but Steven Tuler still looks good, and I love how he dances around the stage when he sings. Do *you* like Aerosmith, David?"

"I do. They can rock and they're also melodic. You know, as opposed to Pantera or Godsmack or Korn." David paused. He wondered if he'd surprised Samantha with what he knew about those groups. "And they've been together for so long that they actually can put together Greatest Hits CDs that are almost all hits."

"I love 'em," Samantha agreed. "Look what I'm wearing tonight." Samantha unzipped a lightweight, white leather jacket that she'd paired with white jeans. Underneath was a thin white T-shirt with a rainbow-like arch spelling Aerosmith in multi-colored glitter. Samantha arched her back to make sure David could tell she was braless. "Cool shirt, isn't it?"

"Where'd you get it?"

"Off the Net. It's a little too big, but it'll shrink when I wash it."

The little voice was back, telling David it was time for Samantha to go. It was now almost 7:45. "Aren't you going to be late?

"No, silly. Trust Company is opening for them, and even they won't go on until 8:30. It'll be 10:30 before Aerosmith goes on. I've got *lots* of time."

The silence was deafening. Samantha had her stare on again and David wore his ambivalence on his sleeve. Samantha looked out David's door. No one, no sound, little light.

She smiled and turned back to David. "Did I ever tell you about my favorite Aerosmith song, David?"

"I don't think so." David saw the words "set up" flash before his eyes. "What is it Samantha?"

"It's '"Falling in Love Is So Hard on the Knees,'" she answered, flashing her biggest smile and kicking the door to David's office closed behind her.

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	Mincha	5:00pm
	followed by Seudah Shlishit and Ma'ariv	
Sun, Feb 22	Morning Services	9:00am
	followed by breakfast	
	Adult Education Workshop	10:00am
	Rosh Chodesh Women's Study Group	11:00am

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Mon, Feb 23	Morning Services	7:30am
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Thurs, Feb 26	Morning Services	7:30am
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Tuesday, February 24 – 7:30pm

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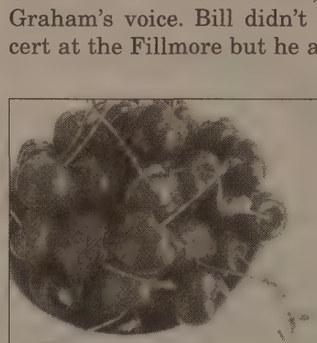

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Fox TV and Bunim-Murray Productions are holding auditions around the nation for families who want to be the host on the next "Simple Life" series with **Paris Hilton** and **Nicole Richie**. No, not in the Hamptons — nothing's simple here — but in towns in Arizona, Louisiana and Florida.

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A new guest record was set on the **Howard Stern** Show last week when **Courtney Love** called in and her language had to be expurgatedby time-delay no less than fifteen times by the station manager at WXRK. Earlier in the week Amagansett's King of all Media complained "they're ruining my show" in regard to local radio affiliates editing his program in the same manner.

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Michael Lynne's *Lord of the Rings: Return of the King* won the awards for Best Picture, Cinematography, Special Effects, Adapted Screenplay and Film of the Year by the Voting Public at the British Academy Film Awards. The film was nominated for twelve BAFTA's. East Hampton's **Renee Zellweger** won Best Supporting Actress for her role in *Cold Mountain,* which was nominated for thirteen awards.

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Former "Talk" magazine editor **Tina Brown** of Westhampton hosted **Harvey Weinstein** of Miramax, backer of the defunct monthly, last Sunday night on CNBC's "Topic A with Tina Brown."

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Following MTV's controversial Super Bowl production, **Lizzie Grubman** of East Hampton has been tapped to do an MTV public relations reality show.

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East Hampton's **Jerry Seinfeld** joined **Sarah Jessica Parker, Diane Sawyer, Daryl Hannah, Kristen Davis** and CBS's **Les Moonves** at the **Narcisco Rodriguez** runway during Fashion Week in New York.

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Christie Brinkley of Bridgehampton is featured in "Sports Illustrated's 40th Anniversary Swimsuit Issue" in a retrospective of supermodels including **Cheryl Tiegs**, formerly of Montauk, and **Elle MacPherson**.

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For Valentine's Day, East Hampton's **Sean Combs** sent **Jennifer Lopez** a platinum necklace with a heart made of diamonds valued at $720,000 .The CEO of Bad Boy Records secreted the gems in a CD holder to surprise his ex- or possibly current-girlfriend, letting her think that he was sending music for her to discuss with him.

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American/Canadian Champion herding dog, **Rhea II Du Moulin D'Eau** of Bridgehampton, won an Award of Merit in her breed, Briards, at the 128th Westminster Dog Show — the Academy Awards of dogdom — last week. Briards were the official dogs of Napolean's army.

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Howard Jonas, CEO IDT Entertainment and East Hampton's **Michael Silberkleit**, CEO of Archie Comics Entertainment announced IDT's acquisition of a five per cent equity interest in Archie Comics Entertainment. IDT will have the right to co-produce and co-develop animated productions with celebrated characters **Archie**, **Betty**, **Veronica** and **Jughead.**

BREAKING NEWS

Late Monday Melville-based North Fork Bancorporation Inc agreed to buy GreenPoint Financial Corp. for $6.3 billion in stock. North Fork's chief executive officer, John Adam Kanas, will remain chairman and CEO of North Fork, while GreenPoint president and COO Bharat B. Bhatt will become North Fork's senior executive vice president. The deal, unanimously approved by both banks' boards of directors, still awaits shareholder approval. When completed, it would .create the 16th largest bankholding company in the nation, and the largest regional bank in the New York City area, with more than 340 branches in three states.

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Trapped

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saw broke through. And suddenly, this giant, snarling eel leaped up from under the ice, his teeth snapping, his red eyes darting this way and that. And then his giant body simply wrapped around the two men in the white coats, and pulled them toward his mouth. The gun was fired, but the aim was way off — a window shattered in the comfort station at the far end of the lawn. Then the eel ate the men in one gulp. After that, he looked again this way and that, licked his lips, belched, and slowly lowered himself down into the water.

Everyone remained right where they were, in total silence, for five minutes after that.

Another ambulance arrived, but when the paramedics got out, they too just stood there. A wrecker and a flatbed truck arrived. Everybody continued to stand around. After awhile, people began to move, but it was just to keep warm. It was indeed a very cold day.

"All right, everybody," the Chief said, "it's all over. You can go home now."

"Can we go back to skating?" somebody asked from in front of Basilico. A spectator laughed. He honked when he laughed.

"No," the Chief said. "No more skating. We're keeping the crime tape up until further notice."

If you go down there today, a week after all this happened, you'll still see all the yellow crime tape. The eel is gone. Police from all over the island have twice now walked back and forth over the entire lake looking for the eel, a military helicopter bristling with guns hovering protectively overhead. But the search has been in vain. Speculation is that, having had his meal, he has swum to the south end of the lake and out through the huge aqueduct that goes under Meadow Lane there at the Beach Club and out to sea.

There really is no other place he could go.

Experts say he probably won't eat again for another month. Eels digest very slowly. As for the ice skating, the ice is melting this week, so it is probably best to stay away. But if it does freeze again, enthusiasts are urged to try Little Fresh Pond is Bridgehampton, or Munn's Pond in Hampton Bays, or Town Pond in East Hampton. Southampton says Lake Agawam is perfectly safe too. But I don't know. •

Dan's North Fork

Songs From The Heart

Boston Symphony Orchestra Soloist Ishan Arvell Johnson Performs At The Vail-Leavitt

By Roy Bradbrook

Remember the old story of the visitor to New York who asks a passerby, who happens to be a musician, "How do I get to Carnegie Hall?" and receives the curt reply, "Practice, practice, practice!"

Well, Ishan Arvell Johnson demonstrated to an almost capacity audience last Sunday afternoon that his recent appearance at that august establishment as a soloist with the Boston Symphony Orchestra may have come as a result of practice, but his wonderful talent played the major role. The twenty-year-old bass-baritone was born in West Islip, raised in Riverhead and is currently studying voice at Boston University. This concert, at the beautiful Vail-Leavitt Theater in Riverhead, was a fundraiser and Ishan Arvell Johnson's way of expressing his thanks to everyone at the East End Arts & Humanities Council for the support and encouragement he received when he studied voice there under soprano Joan Petrella.

It would have been very easy for a young singer coming back to a familiar environment to choose a selection of well-known material, for an audience immediately relates to familiar music. But Mr. Johnson decided to go the difficult route as a first glance at the program showed.

Admirably accompanied by John Eyre on the piano, well-known on Long Island as an accomplished musician in his own right, Ishan opened with another Long Island resident, Norman Dello Joio's beautiful setting of Elizabeth Barrett Browning's poignant poem "How do I love Thee?" Immediately, you realized that here was a voice of exceptional quality, and as he moved on to songs by Ernest Charles and Elgar to complete the first section, his impressive feeling for the works and his musical maturity confirmed this first impression.

Now German Lieder is an art form not heard too often today. It is difficult and the words of the mainly romantic poems are very important in the performance. The finest Lieders are usually considered to be based on poems by Goethe or Hugo Wolf, and Mr. Johnson performed three pieces by Wolf with great style and feeling.

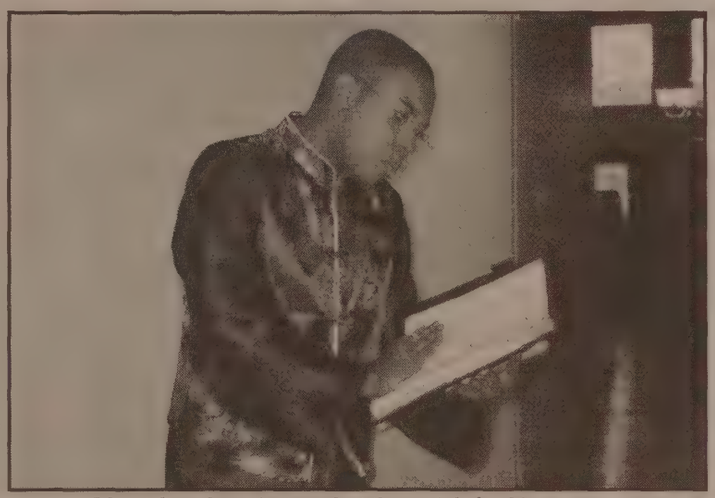


Photo by S.W.Simm

Ishan takes a last minute peak at the music before his concer

Apart from his voice, probably the most surprising aspect of the concert was Mr. Johnson's stage presence. Yes, there still are a few rough edges, like coping with a music stand whilst singing, but these were minor items. He introduced and explained his music with boyish charm and his wonderful smile will light up any room.

After John Eyre played a selection of waltzes by the Spanish composer Granados, Mr. Johnson returned to further demonstrate his musical versatility. He sang three songs in Italian from Scarlatti, Gluck and Giodanello and then switched effortlessly to French for Faure's Claire de Lune and Nell, followed by an intense prayer for peace composed by Poulenc as a reaction to the outbreak of the Second World War, but sadly still very relevant today as our country confronts the evils of terrorism in the world.

The final section of this incredibly challenging program included Gladys Rich's American Lullaby, which, Mr. Johnson explained, was the first piece he learnt in class at The Community School of the Arts in Riverhead and he dedicated this to his teacher, Joan Pertrella, and the staff. Then he changed styles again with a piece from Blitzstein's modern opera, *Regina*, and closed with a wonderful rendition of Duke Ellington's "Come Sunday."

Sometimes when asked to cover something like a young unknown artist performing on a Sunday afternoon, one's initial acceptance may be somewhat grudging. I have to admit one of my first reactions was that at least it would be a chance to check out the acoustics in the beautifully restored Vail-Leavitt Music Hall. (They are very good, incidentally, very clear and precise, possibly slightly on the cold side). All I can say is that this concert turned out to be an absolute gem and I can't wait to hear Mr. Johnson perform again.

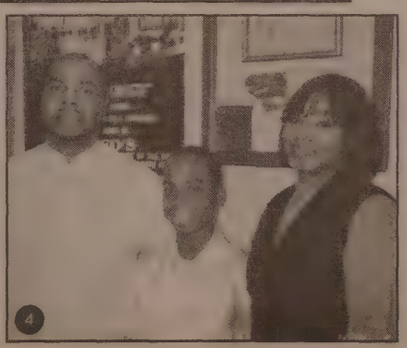
Ishan Arvell Johnson has a magnetic personality, which, coupled with a voice far more mature than his years dictate, should ensure a very special future in whichever sector of the music world he chooses to specialize. As a wine lover, as well as a music lover, may I use the analogy that today his voice resembles a three-year-old Bordeaux from a great vintage. It is very good now, but you can only wonder just how great it will be in a decade's time.

From Riverhead To Carnegie Hall:

Ishan Arvell Johnson Performs At The Vail-Leavitt, Sunday, February 15

Boston Symphony Orchestra soloist 20-year-old Ishan Arvell Johnson, a Riverhead High School graduate, dazzled concertgoers last Sunday afternoon with a challenging program of international love songs to benefit The Community School of the Arts, where he studied under soprano Joan Petrella. Accompanied by his voice coach John Eyre on the piano, Mr. Johnson, a bass-baritone, took a brief break from his studies at Boston University to show his support for all those on the East End who have helped him to realize his dreams. Bravo!

1.Patricia Snyder (E. End Arts Council executive director), Melissa Tyte (Community School of the Arts) 2.Charlotte Johnson (Ishan's grandmother), Beverly Davis, Willie Porter (Ishan's grandfather) 3.John Eyre (accompanist), Ishan, Ellis Pelham (page turner) 4.Craig and Irene Moore with son Darryl 5.Ishan, center, with his family 6. Ishan Arvell Johnson, center, with brother Naymon and mom Tammie



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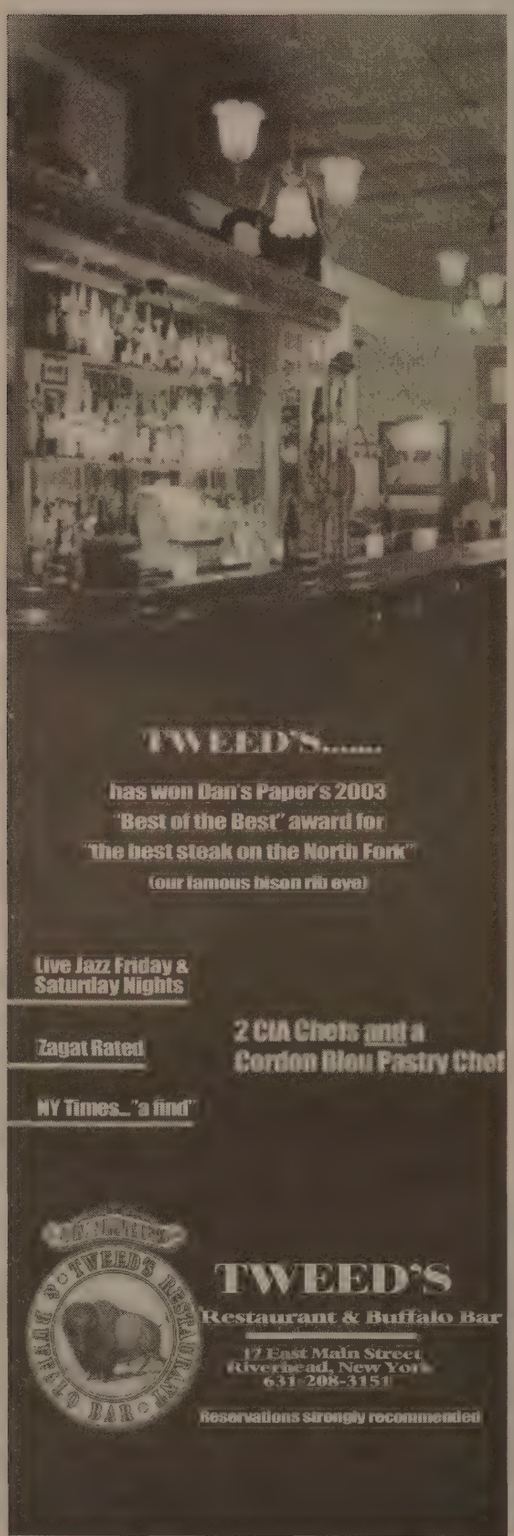
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CONTACT! – Friday and Saturday, school vacation activities at participating venues: Atlantis Marine World, Blue Door Gallery, EEAC, EastEnders Coffee House, Long Island ScienCenter, Riverhead Free Library, Suffolk County Historical Society, Vail-Leavitt Music Hall, Vontronics and Riverhead Incubator for the Arts. Get Contact! card stamped at five venues for free ice cream cone. Call 727-0900.

PORTALS OF HEAVEN GOSPEL CONCERT – At the Vail-Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead. Features music by local musicians and pastors from Nassau and Suffolk County churches. Starts at 7 p.m.

BLUES CONCERT – Featuring Sonny Landreth at the Brookhaven National Laboratory's Berkner Hall. Mr. Landreth's album "The Road We're On" was nominated for Grammy Awards best contemporary blues album in 2003. Guest Performers: Kerry Kearney Band and Little Toby Walker. Tickets in advance are $20 and $30 at the door. Age 16 and up must show photo ID. Call 344-3846 or 467-4156.

SATURDAY, 21

MARDI GRAS CELEBRATION AT BEDELL VINEYARDS – Celebrate with Mardi Gras beads, Kir Royales made with Bedell's very own raspberry wine and of course some Cajun gumbo. $5 per person. For more information call Bedell Cellars at 734-7537. Main Road, Cutchogue.

AN EVENING OF GUITAR – At the Vail-Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead at 8 p.m. Sponsored by the Long Island Classical Guitar Society. Featuring Rob Buchta. General admission is $20, senior citizens/students/LICGS members, $10. Call 727-5782.

SUNDAY, 22

JAZZ CONCERT –At 2 p.m., featuring Ranny Reeve on piano, Bob Scarpula on trumpet and flugelhorn and Caroline Feldschuh at the Riverhead Free Library. Call 727-3228.

SWAP MEET –Car corral and flea market hosted by Peconic Bay Region of Antique Automobile Club of America at Southold Town Recreation Center in Peconic. Fees are as follows: $10 – table, $10 – car corral and admission is $2. Call George Vitale at 589-4779.

Photo by Matt Flynn

Glass vases by artists Trefny Dix and Bengt Hokanson, currently showing at Icehouse Gallery in Greenport

UPCOMING EVENTS: FEBRAURY 27-29

HARLEM HOT AND SASSY –Featuring vignettes of nightlife during the Harlem Renaissance, presented by Dhonna and Bobby Goodale Productions, Broadway choreographer George Faison and Faison Fire-House Theater at Vail Leavitt Music Hall in Riverhead. Show times are Friday at 8 p.m., Saturday at 1 and 5 p.m., Sunday, 3 p.m. Free refreshments. $25/adults, $30/students and $15/senior citizens and group discounts available. Call 369-9581 or 727-5782.

FEBRUARY 29

LONG ISLAND STRING QUARTET – Piano-plus concert at Riverhead Free Library. The program will include works by Mozart, Telemann, Richard Strauss and Shostakovich. Reception will follow. Sponsored by Friends of the Library. Adults/$15, students/$5. Call 727-3228.

ONGOING EVENTS

BLUE DOOR GALLERY– The paintings of Liz Malunowicz (still lifes) and Anna Jurinich. This is Liz's first show, and Anna is an illustrator whose work borders on Surrealism. Gallery hours are Wednesday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sundays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 208-8166 for more.

COREY CREEK VINEYARDS: "136 VIEWS FROM ORIENT TO MANHATTAN" – by Miss Ellen Ruth will be on display through February 29. Located on the Main Road in Southold. Call 765-4168.

THE ICEHOUSE GALLERY: "UNORDINARY FORMS" – featuring the work of Trefny Dix, Bengt Hokanson and David Melrose. Gallery hours are Saturday and Sunday from 12 to 5 p.m. The show runs through February 28. Located at 414 First Street in Greenport. Call 477-0745.

GALLERY M – Distinctive contemporary crafts. Located in Greenport at 308 Main Street. Call 477-9496.

SCIENCENTER – located at 11 West Main St., Riverhead, features weekly science crafts, hands-on exhibits, rainforest animals, and more. Call 208-8000 Monday-Saturday; 208-8303 Sunday.

SHIFTING SANDS: LONG ISLAND'S OCEAN BEACHES – Focuses on the function of barrier beaches and islands and how people view and use them. Suffolk County Historical Society, 300 West Main St., Riverhead, through March 2004. Open Tuesday-Saturday, 12:30-4:30 p.m. Free, donations accepted. 727-2881.

CUSTER INSTITUTE – is open to the public Saturday evenings at dusk for viewing the night sky. Main Bayview Road, Southold, weather permitting. 765-2626.

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And The Winner Is...

I think it is safe to say that *Dan's Papers* annual Best of the Best contest has indeed achieved institution status on the East End, and while we all know it's not who wins or loses, it's still a lot more fun to win. And speaking of winners, 2003's lucky award recipients are spotlighted below. Just look for the designation at the end of each restaurant description, and follow the key to find out who won what. The list is impressive, but then so are today's dining options here on the North Fork.

–Susan W. Simm
Dan's North Fork Editor

2003 North Fork Best of the Best Winners

A-Ambiance, Br- Brunch, C-Chef, Ch-Chicken Dish, Cu-Cuisine, D-Décor, Di-Dinner Specials, I-Italian Cuisine, L-Lobster Dish, Lo-Long Island Wine Selection, Lu-Lunch Menu, Me-Mediterranean Cuisine, O-Outdoor Dining, N-New Chef, P-Pasta, Pu-Pub, S-Salad, Se-Seafood Restaurant, Ser-Service, Sh-Shellfish Dish, Sou-Soup, Spe-Special Occasion Dining, St-Steak, Su-Sushi, V-Vegetarian Dish, W-Wine List.

Bayview Inn & Restaurant. Culinary fireworks from a new sparkler facing Peconic Bay. The historic Bayview has undergone many identity changes since its inception as an 1860's boutique hotel. Owners Bob and Pat Patchell have restored its original spirit, with seven guestrooms and the North Fork's most exciting new dining room. Thomas Lopez creates separate specials menus, complementing his regular card of winners like spinach pasta with chunky lobster, Asian-style breast of duck, and marinated lamb chops in mint demi-glace. Scrumptious desserts and a kid's menu ensure everyone goes home (or upstairs) happy. South Jamesport Ave. and Front Street, South Jamesport. 722-2659. Entrees, $18-$26. *(Trueman-Honey, 8/1/03).* {Di,S,Sh}

Cooperage Inn. With a beautiful new look emphasizing the cooperage theme, this charmer continues to carry the banner of North Fork cuisine. Chef/owner Jonathan Perkins, along with chefs Laimo and Hegeman, produce inspired appetizers such as rare sesame tuna carpaccio and pan-seared fresh mozzarella, and don't miss the sesame crusted calamari served over field greens with a soy vinaigrette. Steaks are steakhouse worthy, and the rigatoni ala vodka continues to dazzle. Fish here is always pristine and cooked with a light hand. Entrees $15.50-$30. 2218 Sound Ave. Baiting Hollow. 727-8994. *(Simm, 1/10/03).* [Br,D]

Desmond's Pub & Restaurant at the Inn at East Wind. The North Fork's new destination hotel hosts an elegant and restful dining room serving excellent a la carte dishes and classic pub fare. Executive chef Richard Laurelli's daily specials are consistent standouts, as evidenced by his chilled vegetable soup with lobster meat, as well as the Andalusia-style beef and chicken tapas. Pub favorites like crisply battered cod and chips hit the mark and familiar entrees like grilled lamb chops are perfectly prepared. The wine list is sensibly priced, though short on local vintages. Blueberry creme brulee was an inventive and winning update on a classic dessert. Entrees, $16-$26. 5720 Rt. 25A, Wading River. 929-3500. *(Bradbrook, 8/29/03).* {Pu}.

La Plage. Exciting and imaginative haute cuisine just steps away from a Long Island Sound beach. Chef/owner Wayne Wadington's menu undergoes constant revision, reflecting his selection of premium ingredients or his latest inspiration for a sauce. His creations fly off the menu almost as quickly as off the plate, but if you have the chance, put in for the Yukon Gold potato soup with an oyster beignet, the roulade of local crab with succulent micro greens or the Griggstown Farm quail in smoked bacon. Superb wine list. Exceptional desserts. Entrees $22-33. 131 Creek Road, Wading River. 744-9200. *(Bradbrook, 11/1/02).* [Ap,Ch]

Red Door. Red Alert! Stephan Mazzella, formerly of Lespinasse, has opened a fine new restaurant in Mattituck. His menu is quite versatile and his consistently tasty dishes excite the palate. Typically adventurous and successful is the pan-seared monkfish with a yellow tomato sauce and black olive purée topped by crispy fried leeks. Mazzella's treatment of fish epitomizes Greek and Italian-style preparation at its best. The appetizer of heirloom tomatoes with boccocini mozzarella and fresh basil and balsamic vinegar is a tomato dish for thé ages. Innovative desserts, too. Entrees – $16–$28. 13560 Main Rd., Mattituck. 298-4800. *(Bradbrook, 6/14/02).* [D]

The Seafood Barge. The North Fork restaurant for fish lovers. Owner/manager team of Dick Ehrlich and Betsey Flinn are as fanatical about results as Steinbrenner/Torre. Newly imported executive chef Michael Meehan updates the menu's standards and introduces several of his own specialties. Vichyssoise spiked with crab meat and basil oil was a rousing success. Marinated baby octopus with baby spinach was succulent and tender. As for the fish, the sushi appetizer continues to be stellar. The pan-seared striped bass with a red pepper broth is a revelation. Desserts are sensational. Excellent wine list, particularly local vintages. Entrees $24-$32. Port of Egypt Marina, Rt. 25, Southold. 765-3010. *(Bradbrook, 7/26/02).* [Lo,Se,Su]

The Shady Lady Restaurant. The Zorn family's vision of stately elegance comes to the North Fork in this grandly unique dining room. Two rooms actually, with dinner jackets de rigueur in the Scarlet Room and a more casual ambience pervading the lodge-like Pine Room. The menu keeps apace with the opulence of the surroundings. Chef Ross Essner's cosmopolitan cooking style is globally savvy, but local-ingredient particular. Especially breathtaking is the lobster risotto with diver scallop and asparagus. A superb cheese plate complements the dessert choices and the wines are as excellently-chosen as they are reasonably-priced. 305 North Road, Greenport. 477-4500. Entrees, $28-$38. *(Bradbrook, 7/18/03).* {A,Cu,Ser,Spe,W}

Stonewall's. Haute cuisine in a tranquil setting, at the Woods Course at Cherry Creek in Riverhead. Step into the warm and inviting dining room, however, and your thoughts will happily shift from golf course to main course. Many superb entrees, including the delicate halibut in a mustard-nut crust, are worth savoring long after the meal has concluded. Duck a l'orange on a bed of wild rice is another standout as is the deeply flavorful lobster bisque. Rigatoni with roasted tomatoes, mozzarella, capers and olives is exquisitely al dente. Fine wines and creatively fruity desserts complete a dining experience par excellence. Entrees $15-$27. 967 Reeves Ave., Riverhead. 506-0777. *(Bradbrook, 9/12/03).* {Lu,N}

Sultan's Kitchen. At last, a good, authentic Eastern Mediterranean for the region. The emphasis is on Turkish cooking, one of the world's healthiest cuisines. The spacious dining room is non-descript, as this is a former pancake emporium; the subtleties are all in the flavoring of the food. Soups such as red lentil and tripe are spiced just right. The varied appetizers favor vegetarians while the main courses concentrate on lamb and chicken, often with delectable results. Turkish baklava and kadayif are exceptional finishing touches. Entrees $6.50-$15.95. 1077 Old Country Road, Riverhead. 369-9766. *(Bradbrook, 8/9/02.)* {Me,V}

Touch of Venice. Top-notch Italian cuisine in a delightful setting on Mattituck Inlet. Named appropriately for location, cuisine and a large mural dominating the dining room, this is family dining par excellence with a sophisticated ambience. Among the kitchen's highlights: Orient Point oysters, chilled but not icy; baby spinach salad with gorgonzola; black angus porterhouse. Manicotti in a fresh, simple tomato sauce is among the many pleasing pasta dishes. Lobster Meat over angel hair pasta, a frequent special, is an exciting dish of imaginative complexity and one of the North Fork's perennial favorites. Cold seafood bruschetta is another special to watch for. Entrees $16-$34. Wickham Avenue at Matt-A-Mar Marina, Mattituck. 298-5851. *(Bradbrook, 8/16/02).* [L,O]

Tuscan House. Your table is yours for the evening at this elegant, upscale Italian. Authentic, classical dishes bear the deft touch of chef William Oster. His fish is exceptionally fresh and his osso bucco masterly. But his virtuosity lies in the care with which he pairs his 16 pastas and his sublime sauces. The results range from delicate to intense. Pappardelle with a puree of beans dressed with soppresata, fresh chilies, garlic and parmigiano reggiano is typically adventurous and winning. The dessert tray is filled with excellent choices. Well-chosen wines, emphasis on regional Italians. 673 Osborn Ave., Riverhead. 727-2330. *(Bradbrook, 9/7/01).* [C,I,P]

Tweed's. Owner Ed Tuccio parlayed his interests in history, Americana and the bison to create this unique eatery. The décor puts one in mind of an expensive turn-of-the-century men's club, but with a romantic twist. Notable appetizers include Oysters Portland, enveloped in sautéed leeks and crisp bacon, and the Bistro Salad, redolent of blue cheese and roasted beets. Aside from Tweed's excellent specialty of the house, succulent farm-raised bison, also recommended are the Sashimi Sesame Tuna, carb-free vegetable lasagna, and Duck Two Ways. Don't skip dessert: the pastry chef is a graduate of the Cordon Bleu in London. Entrees $19-26. 17 E. Main St., Riverhead. 208-3151. *(Trueman-Honey, 7/04/03).* [St].

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EAST END KIDS

Emily on the move

Dylan Stanford-Stanuser and Emily

Emily with her furry friend

It's February, March, and April Birthday Madness. More birthday parties than you can imagine, but who's complaining? Last weekend, I had three parties with Sesame Street Music Show thrown in for good measure. One party, for Dylan Stanford-Danuser was at The Art Farm in Manhattan, the little sister of The Art Farm in Bridgehampton. It was a fun place, with the entire downstairs devoted to small animals, fish, and birds that kids can play with under supervision of the nice people who work there. I got right into the rabbit pen and while the carrots looked good enough to eat, I fed them to the cute furry things. Speaking of cute furries, I got to hold a chinchilla and it was sooooo soft and sweet. After the inside petting zoo, we went upstairs for lunch – pizza is definitely the snack of choice for 3-year-olds because all the parties had it and I saw parents digging in too. I'm looking forward to going to the Art Farm in Bridgehampton where there are large animals to pet and play with.

I also went to a birthday party at the Little Shop of Plaster where we made our own dolls and got to dance and sing kid songs into a microphone (I was a little shy for that), and to the 92nd Street Y where we had lots of activity, including jumping and tumbling.

New York is a kids' paradise even in the winter. Any kids complaining about the cold weather keeping them from fun should call me.

–Emily Hart Post

With a little help from David Post and Katlean de Monchy

Day By Day

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FRIDAY, 20

CINEMA SERIES AT SIENA – Friday, February 20 and Saturday, February 21 enjoy all or part. The entire package – overnight, meals, snacks and shows is $110, 2 for $200. Individual movies and snacks – $10. Registration necessary. Friday at 7 p.m. *Radio*; Saturday 10 a.m. *Bruce Almighty*; 1:30 p.m. *Smoke Signals*. Located at Siena Spirituality Center at 615 Montauk Highway in Water Mill. Call 726-4740.

FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES – Will be shown at 6:30 p.m. Please arrive by 6:15 p.m. No children allowed unless accompanied by an adult. At the John Jermain Memorial Library, located on Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 725-0049.

THE STEPHEN TALKHOUSE – DJ Logic will play at 10 p.m. Tickets are $10. Located at 161 Main Street in Amagansett. Call 267-3117.

SEEING IS BELIEVING – Art class with Ivan Kustura. Held at St. Ann's Parish House in Bridgehampton from 12 noon-1:30 p.m. and is recommended for ages 8-13 years. Children's Museum of the East End. The cost is $15. Call 537-8250.

AUDITIONS –The Southampton Players Outreach Theater, or S.P.O.T., will be holding auditions for "Better Choices, Better Chances", an HIV/AIDS awareness program that tours East End schools. Friday in the Avram Theater at 1 p.m. at Southampton College. Call Michael Disher at 287-8088.

SATURDAY, 21

THE STEPHEN TALKHOUSE – Marcia Ball will perform at 8 p.m. Tickets are $45/35. David Kolker Band will play at 10 p.m. Tickets are $10. Located at 161 Main Street in Amagansett. Call 267-3117.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY – The Hamptons Horticultural Alliance of the Hamptons will hold its next informal study session on plants of the Ericaceae family at 10 a.m. Marie Donnelly will be the moderator. Call 537-2223.

CANIO'S BOOKS – Louise DeSalvo will read from and discuss her new book *Crazy in the Kitchen: Food, Feuds, and Forgiveness in an Italian American Family*, published by Bloomsbury, at 6 p.m. Located at 290 Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 725-4926.

SENIOR PROM – The East Hampton YMCA will hold a "Senior Prom" for local seniors. The event will be held at the Y from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. and will feature D.J. dancing and refreshments. Admission is free and the event is open to all local seniors, aged 55 and older. Call 329-6884.

BOOKHAMPTON – James S. Henry will discuss his new book, *The Blood Bankers*, at 5 p.m. in the Sag Harbor location on Main Street. Call 324-4939 or 283-0270.

SENSATIONAL SENSES – Explore the animal kingdom's five senses with the Children's Museum of the East End's "Sensational Senses" and the Volunteers for Wildlife.This workshop will be held at the East Hampton Neighborhood House from 11 a.m. – 12 noon and is recommended for ages 3-7 years. The cost with reservations is $10/adults $5/child ($2 more per person at the door). Call.537-8250.

CIRCUS MINIMUS: THE ONE-MAN CIRCUS IN A SUITCASE – A Performance at The Parrish Art Museum at 2 p.m. Join former Big Apple Circus instructor Kevin O'Keefe in his one-man circus extravaganza. Admission is $3/members and $8/non-members. No advanced registration is required. For information, please call Jennifer Kent at 283-2118, ext. 30. Located at 25 Job's Lane in Southampton. Call 283-2118.

SHINNECOCK MUSEUM – "A Walk With the People" and The Frederick DeMatteis Collection, "My Spirit Dances Forever," will be showing. Open to the public. Located at West Gate Road and Montauk Highway (27A) in Southampton. Will be open Monday, Feb. 16 thru Feb. 21, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sun.

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Shop 'til You Drop... With Maria Tennariello

After a long holiday weekend of shopping, I need a real vacation. There are so many shops winding down this winter season, getting ready for spring.

Let's start by getting some of those unwanted pounds and inches off. **Body Zone**, located in Hampton Bays, Southampton and Amagansett has just opened their fourth location in Westhampton. Do the thirty minute circuit workout and lose that loose stuff. Check it out, it's a great new concept of exercise.

At **Sunrise to Sunset** on Hill Street in Southampton look for 50% off on all their fun clothing.

The February Sale at **Casual Home Furniture & Accessories** is the best sale yet at this shop. There is 10% off on all special orders and from 10% to 40% off on all floor models. Kelly, my co-worker and friend, has just about emptied out the store. Hope she left a few things for me....

Next door, at **Windows & Walls Unlimited** look for a cool 65% off Hunter Douglas products. What a deal if you need to cover your windows.

Catch the buzz at the **Hampton Coffee Company**. It's February's National Specialty Coffee month. All month long, Hampton Coffee Company is offering free coffee scoops for the asking, as well as a free 1/4 pound sample of their freshly roasted estate grown coffees with every pound purchased. They also invite you to try a delicious hot Chai Tea Latte or made-to-order cinnamon hot chocolate...All locations, Montauk Highway, Water Mill and Main Street in East Hampton.

You must check out **Billy Martin's** on Newtown Lane in East Hampton for their "Bigger Than Big Sale" that starts on February 28. This shop features handcrafted silver buckles, authentic cowboy boots and a large variety of trend-setting fashions that are featured in countless fashion magazines. Everything will be marked down 30% to 75% including their new spring collection. Everything must go! There is an unbelievable amount of merchandise coming for this upcoming (can't get here soon enough) season and they must make room. The rock bottom priced sale will end on April 25, so don't wait, the early bird always catches the worm.

If you are looking for unique estate jewelry, **Gems of the Past** is a good choice. Located on Newtown Lane in East Hampton.

On the Long Wharf in Sag Harbor at **Around Again** there is "Seasonal Clearance" sale on men's and women's clothing and accessories. The shop is packed to the rafters with gently used merchandise that can surely go around again...

At the **Sag Harbor Florist & Gift Shop** on Bay Street in Sag Harbor, you can pick up your after Valentine's Day florals and giftware for that special someone in your life. There are lovely combinations of vase arrangements, flowering plants and beautiful cache pots. You will be surprised when you walk in; there is so much to choose from.

Hampton Coffee Company, East Hampton and Water Mill

Q. I went to an event a few weeks ago called "Love Bites" in East Hampton. I was very impressed with the security and parking procedure there. It was well organized and the security officers were real gentlemen. I am having a very large wedding at an estate in Water Mill this summer. Can you please get me some information on the Security Company that handled that event? –R.J., Jr.

A. The company, **Doorhey & McArdle Consulting, Inc.** specializes in special event security, parking management, and also provides all aspects of background and due diligence inquiries, crisis management, executive protection, forensic auditing, digital investigation and so much more. The company known on the East End as **D&M Consulting** boasts a professional staff that includes current and retired law enforcement personnel and has become the company of choice for high profile special events. They are located in Hampton Bays and can be reached at 631-728-0610. –MT

If you know of, or are having any sales and would like to share them with me, or have any questions regarding the shops or sales, please email me at shoptil@danspapers.com *or fax me at: 631-537-3330*

Until next week. Ciao and Happy Shopping!

Special Attention my Shop 'til readers: A young lady showed up on *Dan's Papers* doorstep with a broken heart over her lost miniature schnauzer that was last seen on February 15, 2004 near the Bridge/Sag Turnpike. His name is "Scout" and he was wearing a light blue leather collar with a red heart tag. There is a reward offered. Please call 631-987-6312 or call us here at Dan's Papers at 537-0500 if you have any information on Scout. My dog Tino is a mini schnauzer and my heart goes out to her.

When In Manhattan...

The Monkey King Holds Court in Manhattan

The Chinese Calendar marked the first day of the Year of the Monkey as January 22, 2004. It is the 4701st Chinese Year, as the Yellow King (he was not the first emperor of China) became king back in 2697 BC. It is not only the Year of the Monkey, but The "Green Monkey" Year, for those that care. The elemental scale has shifted and the Metal cycle is upon us. Since Metal stands for gold, jewelry or money, economists and fortune cookies alike are predicting a boom in the financial world and related industries these next two years. Last year, 2003, was the Year of the Sheep, and by the look of things the Monkey is a welcome change. To celebrate this momentous occasion, the Children's Museum of Manhattan, or CMOM, is hosting a six-month event. Monkey King: A Journey to China, is part of a national Asian Exhibit Initiative, funded by the Freeman Foundation and administered by the Association of Children's Museums. CMOM is the only museum selected to develop and travel an exhibition related to China.

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China is emerging as a continued power in the international climate, and Chinese Americans are the largest segment of the Asian American population. The Monkey King can provide a strong background for kids from all cultures to understand the country's rich heritage and modern society. CMOM recognizes the best way to build cross-cultural understanding and mutual respect is to foster recognition, appreciation, and familiarity with another culture's creations. Giving yourself and your kids a chance to learn more about China than General Tso's chicken and Tiananmen Square is an opportunity that does not often come packaged in such a fun and accessible way. Take advantage of it.

CMOM has long been a place for children and parents to engage in activities and crafts focused on learning in the most palatable and interactive forms available. Visitors will discover the astonishing superpowers and humorous foibles of Monkey King, the unique hero of the Chinese epic Journey to the West (Xiyouji). The story has deeply influenced Chinese art and culture, and has been shared by Chinese families for generations. In a masterfully designed 1500 square-foot environment, participants have access to 15 imagination stations set amid the sights and sounds of China to help immerse them in the story.

We begin the journey by entering the Monkey's cave home, where we meet the mischievous Monkey King through a multi-media experience. Soon, travelers pass through a "waterfall curtain" into a gripping fantasy world where our hero wreaks havoc in the Heavenly Palace. Frisky kids can join Monkey as he crashes the Jade Emperor's Banquet, wear his flamboyant costume, try out his moves from techniques of the Beijing Opera, and watch as he is outsmarted by that pesky Buddha who thwarts his

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Away At School... By David Lion Rattiner

Disney Meeting

Yesterday, a meeting took place in Walt Disney World regarding the Comcast Digital Cable's hostile takeover attempt made last week. I headed down to Orlando, Florida to attend the meeting, which included Mickey Mouse, Daffy Duck, Goofy, and a crowd of hundreds of other Disney characters.

I got off of my US Airways flight in Orlando and rented a car from Enterprise Rent-A-Car. I drove the half hour to Walt Disney World where I was staying in a hotel called the Contemporary Resort. I was anxious to get to Epcot Center, specifically, to where the meeting regarding the possibility of war was taking place.

As you may or may not know, General Mickey Mouse declared Walt Disney World in a state of emergency and called a critical assessment meeting two days after the threat by Comcast was made.

Walt Disney World is different than what I remember. All of the music that plays has been changed from that uplifting cheery, la la music, to more aggressive music. Now, the theme to Rocky and the song "We Are The Champions" by Queen were playing constantly throughout the resort.

My escort, Tigger, the guy from the show "Winnie the Pooh," knocked on my hotel room door. Tigger stood about seven feet tall. He was wearing a full military outfit with camouflage and armed with an M-16 machine gun. "Are you ready to go, Mr. Rattiner?"

"Yes, sir."

We got on the monorail inside the hotel. The monorail was filled with Disney characters. I saw Cinderella, Aladdin, The Beast, Belle, even Chewbacca. We got off at the Epcot stop and continued towards the giant golf ball, Epcot Center's signature architectural achievement, and walked inside. A podium with the Walt Disney World seal stood tall at the front of a large auditorium. I was escorted to the front of the room by Tigger. A path was cleared by the crowd of Disney characters who

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saluted Tigger as we walked by. I sat down in my chair. Suddenly all the lights in the room went out and the podium lit up. The crowd of thousands all started to cheer as Mickey Mouse walked to the podium, wearing a General's uniform. The band was playing the Mickey Mouse song, "M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E." I sang along, proud to be a Mouseketeer. Mr. Mouse took the microphone and spoke.

"As you all know by now, we have been threatened by Comcast with a hostile takeover. They have made this threat public, clear, and swift. Our intelligence indicates that they have been planning this for the past two years. As your commander, I have activated our emergency military forces and have upgraded Disney World from a state of peace to a state of emergency. All tourism to our world will continue to go on during this time of danger. We must carry out our defenses in secret. We are now at def-con three. Never in our peaceful history have we been forced to take such actions. However, Walt Disney World will not cower to aggressive outsiders. Our armed forces are the most technologically advanced, the best trained, and the most intelligent in the entire world. When Comcast comes at us, you can count on us to be ready." The crowd started to cheer. "I will now turn this over to General Daffy Duck."

Daffy Duck walked over to the podium where he saluted Mickey Mouse and began to speak in his thick, duck accent.

"We have established our defenses using all three ranges of military combat, land, air, and sea. On land, we have our elite seven dwarf seal team, as well as heavy armed infantry throughout all of the resorts. Typhoon Lagoon, as well as our surrounding waters, is currently being patrolled by our top secret underwater Little Mermaid strike force and the Pirates of the Caribbean. Each Mermaid is equipped with a torpedo projecting rifle. In the air, General Dumbo is making routine patrols, along with Captain Peter Pan and X Wing fighter pilots being commanded by Luke Skywalker and Han Solo. Have no fear my fellow Disneyans, when Comcast begins their strike, we will be ready. The Comcastians may try to intimidate us, and they may try to take our lives. But I can tell you this, they will never take OUR FREEDOM!"

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MONDAY, 23

TODDLERS IN THE MORNING – The Children's Museum of the East End's Toddlers In The Morning Tot Tumble with Nancy Lee Daniels will be held at the Montauk Library from 11:15-11:45 a.m. and is recommended for ages 22 months- 4 years. The cost is $10 for the first child and $5 each additional child. Call 537-8250.

CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP – Monday evenings from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. from January 12- March 15. Beginning and advanced writers welcome. Led by Eileen Obser: writer, editor, teacher, and leader of popular writing workshops for over ten years. Located on Cedar Street in East Hampton. Call 324-6325.

JAZZ-FUNK-HIPHOP – Warm up, stretch, and do some abdominal strength work on the floor. Every Monday at 7 p.m. at The Body Shop, 26 Newtown Lane in East Hampton (above Eileen Fisher). Single class: $17. Call 324-5293.

TUESDAY, 24

OPERA OF THE HAMPTONS – This tradition of educating and introducing students to the world of opera is part of Opera of the Hamptons' ongoing commitment to the arts and to the community at large. This year the residency will extend from the fifth grade through high school and will continue in a special program for the elementary school. Call 728-8804.

THE PALATE'S PALETTE – Professional Chef to launch culinary certificate program. The School of Continuing Education at Southampton College announces a free open house for their new gourmet cooking program. The open house will take place in Kanas Lobby of Chancellor's Hall. Call 287-8316.

EAST END COUNCIL MEETING – The Long Island Builders Institute will be having their East End Council dinner meeting at the Indian Cove Restaurant in Hampton Bays starting at 6 p.m.. $55. Reservations are a must. Call 232-2345.

CHILDREN'S FRENCH CLUB – Le Cercle Francais continues its children's program at the Stella Maris Regional School of Sag Harbor and Cultural Center of Southampton. The program is open to children from kindergarten through high school from Jan 7- June 2 after school on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Located at 80 Division Street in Sag Harbor. Call 287-4377 or 725-2128.

TEEN YOGA AT YOGA SHANTI – Explore the ancient tradition of yoga, from poses and breathing exercises to meditation, chanting, philosophy, and deep relaxation in this fun, creative class for teens 13 and up. Class is from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. Located at Yoga Shanti, 75 Main Street in Sag Harbor. Call 725-6424.

WEDNESDAY, 25

LOAVES & FISHES COOKSHOP – Jason Weiner, co-owner and Executive Chef at Almond Restaurant in Bridgehampton, will be the guest chef at the next *Food & Wine Tasting Forum*. The class will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Loaves & Fishes Cookshop in Bridgehampton. The cost for the forum is $50 per person. Pre-registration is required. Call 537-6066.

SWING DANCING AT 75 MAIN – Bill Perno will teach swing dancing at 7 p.m. at 75 Main in Southampton. $10 cover. Enjoy lots of fun and great drink specials. Call 283-7575.

GOAT ON A BOAT PUPPET THEATER –Puppet Playgroups. Children under 3 years and their grown-ups are invited for an hour of free play, circle fun, songs, games and puppet show!Classes are at 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. Please call 725-4193.

THURSDAY, 26

SMILE FOR A LIFETIME – At the Ross School at 7 p.m. Dr. Gerald Curatola will discuss the latest nutritional, homeopathic, and herbal therapies that aid in the treatment and prevention of dental disease. The fee is $10/adults and $5/children under 17. Located at 18 Goodfriend Drive in East Hampton. Call 907-5555.

DIVERSITY WRITERS SERIES – M.E. Kerr will address issues concerning the writing of young adult literature. She hails from East Hampton and is a winner of the American Library Association's Margaret A. Edwards for Lifetime Achievement. Free. At the Ross School at 7 p.m. Located at 18 Goodfriend Drive in East Hampton. Call 907-5555.

HAVANA NIGHTS AT 75 MAIN – Oscar Gonzoles will give Latin dance instructions at 8 p.m. Dancing until 12 with dance contests, drink specials, complimentary Tapas and prizes. $10 cover, includes your first drink. Call 283-7575.

Email calendar requests to Kelly Marcioch at kelly@danspapers.com or Fax to 537-3330. The deadline for event listing requests is Friday at 12 noon before the next issue.

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antics. This all leads up to an adventure of redemption with a Buddhist monk, a pig monster, and a dragon horse. For an aerial view of China, fly on Monkey's cloud. For feats of dexterity and teamwork, collaborate with friends to fight the Bull Demon. Needless to say, there are activities aplenty that delve deep into immersion fantasy and will keep kids entertained for hours.

Further entertainment is provided through scheduled workshops and events that will produce arts and crafts to make any parent dote over their child's genius for the years of the Rooster, the Dog, and perhaps the Boar in 2007. Chinese Landscape Painting will be offered at 11 a.m. and 12 p.m. on Saturday, February 21st, and Tai-Chi for Children runs the same day at 2 p.m., 3 p.m., and 4 p.m.. Also on Saturday, Jaimie Guan will demonstrate the process of creating the Monkey King with theater makeup, and perform several thrilling sequences in the Peking Opera version Havoc in Heaven. He has performed for 15 years with the Peking Opera Troupe. Other events follow through July.

The Children's Museum of Manhattan is located in the Tisch Building at 212 West 83rd Street. Call 212-721-1223 or click www.cmom.org for more information.

–Oliver Peterson

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Guy de Fraumeni's Hollywood In The Hamptons

The Dreamers

Now shorn of lengthy hair, we survivors of the late and lamented 1960-70s movements are fond of saying, "If you remember those times, you weren't there." In Bernardo Bertolucci's recent film, *The Dreamers*, he recalls those trusty-lusty days in such a singularly self-directed, trumped up (and thereby, ultimately, ineffectual) way, we might think that he wasn't there. We are reminded of George W. Bush's singular personal vision of his Reserve service record. There are many mind and fact-altering processes involved in creating fiction and myth. Signore Bertolucci, or should I say Monsieur since he is such a Francophile (especially in cinema) has set his story in 1968 Paris. It comes with very heavy portions of *Cinematheque Francaise* intellectualism (a lot of talky discussions). Very French. This is not to say that it is not "the way it was." That was a time when I was going back there, revisiting my student years, and when I was enthralled with *Cinema*! Bertolucci was obviously drawn to the film's source, the novel by Gilbert Adair, "The Holy Innocents" which froths with the filmmaker's past thematic material: political unrest, social ignition of personal drama and buff naked sex, squished romantically between buttery, flawed characters.

The Dreamers slips 'n' slides squeakily over, around and under a lot of flesh firmly exposed by a 20-year-young *menage á trois* – an incestuously bent twin brother and sister and an American film aficionado student they take into their huge, "Old Paris" apartment. They are there for most of the movie's 115 minutes and mostly unclothed without the fig leaf attire required in the Garden of Eden. An NC-17 rating has been pasted onto the film with the same questionable adhesive that holds the classic art fig leaf onto its precarious location on the body. Signore Bertolucci's Italian sensibility gives a painterly, clerical classicism to soften Monsieur Bertolucci's French secular realism of nudity *complet* – genitalia *et toute*. The director and his cinematographer, Fabio Cianchetti, bathe you in a lovely, sweet paradise with a lagoon-like beach conducive to swimmingly stroked discussions of movies, love, movies, politics, movies, revolution, movies and soap bubbles (some of the lack of action takes place in the tub). All this has you rather forgetting that it's May 1968 and, in the streets, La Belle Liberté is again raising a banner above her brave, bare breast and violence is aroused.

The threesome occupying the bubbling, warm, incubating apartment are the twins, Isabelle (Eva Green) and Theo (Louis Garrel) who enjoy unguarded freedom while their French father and English mother are away. However, in that vast apartment, who could tell what their closeness amounted to? Matthew is the movie obsessed student they share their opinions, deep thoughts and bodies with. Michael Pitt's bronzed, blond hair and glassy, passive face suits the role of an ardent seeker of experience skittering on youth's slippery slopes of folly. Matthew is a fan of Susan Sontag, writes home to his mom and is smitten with French intellectualism that scribbles over his mind like the Situationist graffiti crawling over the walls of Paris. Theo is a political activist and loves arguments. He and Matthew pound at each other over a wide expanse of subjects that keep coming back to *Cinema*. Bertolucci's own obsession seems to be that films allow us a special way into the world rather than an escape. Certainly, his formidable prowess with movie making is what draws us into the shallow and thin, old-fashioned scenario a whole heck of a lot deeper than is expected. He makes a good case for movies' involvement in life by giving us some extremely memorable archival clips, but how about the equally memorable, recorded music of the Doors, Jimi Hendrix and many other artists that he uses as backgrounds? It helps to enliven the film vividly. *The Dreamers* needs nudging to awaken it from its patient self-gratification, just as the sex and conceptual, sodden trio need to be shaken. Finally they are roused by a road stone thrown through a window. It's indeed ironic and tells a lot about the film's inadequacy – the rudest wake up call comes from the return of the parents.

Bertolucci appears to yearn more for sexy youth than political virility. Which is more to be mourned? All I can say is that it was a time, back then, of having it all. Friends remind me of the 1973 New York initial screening of Bertolucci's X-rated *Last Tango in Paris*. When the lights came up with Gato Barbieri's music, I grabbed the then head of United Artists publicity and tangoed her up the aisle. I guess I was there, even if Bertolucci wasn't.

Guy-Jean de Fraumeni is the producer / writer / director of award-winning European and American feature films. He has been a judge at major film and TV award competitions including the Oscars, the Emmy's and various film festivals. He is assisted by Sarah Halsey.

MOVIES

Schedule for the week of Friday, February 20 to Thursday, February 26.

Movie Schedules are subject to change. Always call to confirm shows and times.

UA HAMPTON BAYS (728-8251)

Friday, February 20 - Sunday, February 22

50 First Dates – Fri, 5:25, 7:50,10:20, Sat/Sun, 12:30, 2:55, 5:25, 7:50,10:20

Mystic River – Sat/Sun, 7 & 10:10

Against The Ropes – Fri, 4:10, 7:20, 10 , Sat/Sun, 1:10, 4:10, 7:20,10

Catch The Kid – Fri, 4:45, Sat/Sun, 12, 2:25, 4:45

Confessions of A Teenage Drama Queen – Fri, 5, 7:25, 9:45, Sat/Sun,12:20, 2:40, 5, 7:25 ,9:45

Miracle – Fri, 4:05, 7:10,10:15, Sat/Sun, 1, 4:05, 7:10 & 10:15

Sneak Preview Starsky & Hutch – Fri/Sat/Sun, 7:30

UA EAST HAMPTON (324-0448)

Movie schedule not received before press time.

SAG HARBOR CINEMA (725-0010) Closed on Wed.

Cold Mountain – Fri/Sat/Sun, 4

Monster – Fri -Thur, 7

Girl With a Pearl Earring – Fri -Thur, 9:05

UA SOUTHAMPTON (287-2774)

Movie schedule not received before press time.

HAMPTON ARTS TWIN (288-2600)

50 First Dates – Fri/Sat 3:10, 5:15, 7:20, 9:25, Sun 1, 3:10, 5:15,7:20 , Mon -Thurs 3:10, 5:15, 7:20

In America – Fri/Sat 2, 4:30, 7 & 9:30, Sun 2, 4:30 & 7, Mon - Thurs 2:30, 5 & 7:30

VILLAGE CINEMA GREENPORT (477-8600)

Miracle– Fri/Sat/Sun 2, 5, 8, Mon -Thurs, 7:15

Barber Shop 2 – Fri/Sat, 2:45, 4:50, 7:15, 9:20, Sun 2:45, 4:50,7:15 Mon-Thurs, 7:20

Catch That Kid – Fri/Sat, 2:30, 4:20, 6:20, 8:20,10:10, Sun, 2:30, 4:20, 6:20,

8:20, Mon/Tues, 7

50 First Dates – Fri/Sat,2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 8:10, 10:05, Sun,2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 8:10

Passion Of Christ – Wed -Thurs (Opens 2/25)

WESTHAMPTON BEACH PAC (288-1500)

The Cooler – Fri, Feb 20, 7:30; Sat, Feb 21, 4, 7:30; Sun, Feb. 22, 1 & 4

MATTITUCK CINEMAS (631-298-SHOW) Feb 20 -24

Euro Trip – Fri, 7:30, 9:40, Sat, 12:40, 4:15, 7:30, 9:40, Sun, 12:40, 4:15, 7:30, Mon/Tues, 7:30

50 First Dates – Fri, 6, 8:45, Sat, 1:10, 3:10, 6, 8:45, Sun, 1:10, 3:10, 6, Mon/Tues, 6

Confessions of a Teenage Drama Queen –Fri, 7:10, 9:50, Sat, 1:45, 4:30, 7:10, 9:50

Mon/Tues, 7:10

Catch That Kid – Sat/Sun, 1:30, 3:45

Monster – Fri/Sat, 7:15, 9:30, Sun/Mon/Tues, 7:15

In America – Fri, 7, 9:15, Sat, 1:20, 4, 7, 9:15, Sun, 1:20, 4, 7, Mon/Tues, 7

Mystic River –Fri, 6:20, 9, Sat, 12:50, 3:40, 6:20, 9, Sun, 12:50, 3:40, 6:20, Mon/Tues, 6:20

Welcome To Moosport – Fri, 6:45, 9:20, Sat, 1, 3:20, 6:45, 9:20, Sun, 1, 3:20, 6:45, Mon/Tues, 6:45

Miracle – Fri, 6:15, 8:55, Sat, 12:30, 3:30, 6:15, 8:55, Sun, 12:30, 3:30, 6:15, Mon/Tues, 6:15

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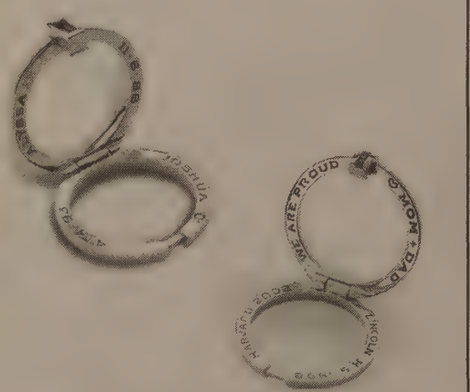

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ART EVENTS

Art Events

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PARRISH SCHOOL ART FESTIVAL – The museum's galleries will be filled with work of students from public and independent schools in the townships of Riverhead and Southampton. show runs through March 14. Call 283-2118. Ext. 22.

ARLENE BUJESE GALLERY – Annual exhibition comprises paintings, drawings, sculpture, prints and photography, selected from the continuing collection. Hours Jan. thru March – weekends 11-5 & by appointment. (No opening for either exhibitition). 66 Newtown Lane, East Hampton. 631-324-2823.

VERED GALLERY – Secondary Market paintings, sculpture and photographs by Motherwell, de Kooning, Picasso, Marin, Porter, Katz, Haring, Man Ray, Miro, Kahn, Matisse and others. Located at 68 Park Place Passage, East Hampton. 631-324-3303.

YOUNGBLOOD GALLERY – Alen MacWeeney will feature his images that have been displayed on the pages of *The New Yorker*, The *New York Times Magazine*, *Esquire* and *GQ* just to name a few. 26 Madison Street, Sag Harbor. 631-725-6260.

TULLA BOOTH GALLERY – Featuring Lilo Raymond, Anne Chawtsky, Luca Pagliasi, Richard Ehrlich, Jay Hoops, Daniel Jones, Peter C. Jones and Andre Kertesz. Winter hours, Friday thru Monday 12- 6 p.m. Tulla Booth Gallery, 66 Main St., Sag Harbor. 631-725-3100.

GALERIE RIMONIM – Jerusalem: In Shadow And Light, The Face Of City In Conflict. Photographs by Ben Loulou. 87 Newtown Lane East Hampton. 631- 324-8144.

GRENNING GALLERY – Robert Armetts' solo show featuring his serene still life paintings, local landscapes and self-portraits. Main Street, Sag Harbor. 631-725-8469 or log onto grenninggallery.com

THE WINTER TREE GALLERY – New Show "Winter Celebration" etchings, paintings, jewelry & furniture by Cuca

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ART COMMENTARY *By Marion Wolberg Weiss*

ARTS - IN - EDUCATION
Part 3

We all think we know what the term "multi-purpose" means, but there's a new kid in town who redefines such a concept. It's Radio Free Hamptons, an internet operation going above and beyond our experience with both "radio" as a medium and "station" as a venue.

An initial visit confirms this extended definition in about thirty seconds: entering a storefront near Sag Harbor's post office, we can't believe our eyes. Is this an art gallery or what? Is it a place for sending e - mails or what? Is it a hangout where people sit down, have a piece of pastry, borrow a media book from the shelves while exchanging ideas and news?

A kind of Cedar Tavern? Or perhaps "an adult community center disguised as a radio center?" Is this someone's living room? A place to take courses in media art?

The answer is "yes" to all of the above.

Before we forget, however, the place also broadcasts over the internet several hours a day, featuring programs not available via commercial or public radio, doing so from an inconspicuous booth in the back of the room. To complete this picture, we can't forget Reggie Woolery either, Radio Free Hamptons' creator and "jack-of-all-trades" who is definitely not inconspicuous.

The description seems apt, considering that Mr. Woolery (the former Dean of Media at the Ross School) has varied, relevant training and experience: a media degree from New York University and marketing expertise in independent film distribution from his days with the prestigious Third World Newsreel.

Mr. Woolery is also a great muffinmaker, from his student years selling baked goods at Union Square's Green Market. "If I would go back there today," Mr. Woolery laughs, "I bet some people would still call me 'Muffin Man,' my nickname two decades ago."

Did we mention that Mr. Woolery is also a darned good photographer and artist, and that his works now grace the walls as part of the monthly art exhibit at Radio Free Hamptons?

But, of course, this isn't really Mr. Woolery's place. While it reinforces his interests and commitments, the venue chiefly serves diverse community needs: schools who can lease airtime for vocational purposes, and businesses, organizations, and individuals who can take audio production and journalism classes.

But this is only the beginning. Mr. Woolery has lots of ideas for the future, from holding training workshops so that students can establish community projects themselves, to developing closed circuit radio stations in the schools.

And you thought you knew the meaning of "multi-purpose." Not when it comes to Radio Free Hamptons.

Call 631-335-2062 for more information or drop by the station at 31 Long Island Ave., Sag Harbor.

Honoring the Artist: Ewa Banas

This week's cover, "Home Sweet Home" by artist Ewa Banas is a particularly apt one, not only because it's a familiar East Hampton site but also because it holds special significance for its creator. As Ms. Banas, puts it, "The sun is coming out after a snowstorm to show hope; the painting says this is my home in America."

For Polish-born Banas, who has lived in the United States since 1992, including only a few years on the East End, this comment has potency beyond its literal meaning. Simply put, it's been a very long journey for the artist, both in terms of getting here and also becoming an artist.

Ms. Banas's journey started in Poland where she studied chemistry and then medical technology. She gave up her career in research, however, when she and her son moved with her husband to Minnesota. Unfortunately, a divorce soon followed, leaving Ms. Banas with a child to raise and a living to make. But she was not about to give up, and rebuilt her career by studying science and assuming a position in a laboratory. Her determination was tested once more when she lost her job at the lab.

But instead of giving up, Ms. Banas began painting, studying art history on her own; not surprisingly, her favorite artist was da Vinci. "He was a scientist and an artist," she says. "I related to his double nature." (Ms. Banas also acknowledges the influence science has played in her own art: attention to detail, perspective and optics.) The budding artist also fell in love with the Impressionists, and particularly Monet's delicate use of light.

While Ms. Banas painted with a fervor, concentrating on pastels, she decided it was time to move when a Minnesota gallery owner encouraged her to try New York. So off she went, visiting Flora Giffuni, founder of the Pastel Society of America. "She was most encouraging," Ms. Banas recalls, "showing me her studio and looking at my work. I went back to Minnesota and then moved to the East Coast for good."

But how did Ms. Banas end up in the Hamptons? "One day I rented a car and drove out to Long Island to explore. I didn't know the Hamptons existed, but I was so impressed with the architecture, the shingle houses, the sense of history.

"I drove all the way to Montauk and sat down on the beach to draw. Along came another artist who befriended me then and there. He said he would help me if I ever came out here to live."

And what did Ms. Banas do? You guessed it. She came to live on the East End where the artist friend helped her get a job.

And she's painting as fast and furious as she can. Determination does win out.

–Marion Wolberg Weiss

preview: opera comes to the classroom in southampton

In spite of being an art form that has enthralled millions over hundreds of years, for some reason opera is often downplayed in the media. Denigrated as elitist, boring, and 'not over till the fat lady sings'. From my beloved Ella Fitzgerald, no less, came the disclaimer that she, unlike some others, does not 'sleep though Wagner at the Met!'

Fortunately, the Southampton School District takes a different view. More than 125 students between the ages of 11 and 18 will shortly have the chance to meet with real live opera singers in their schools as the Opera of the Hamptons presents four internationally-recognized singers, who will work with general music classes, choruses and the Gospel Choir, from February 24th to February 27th.

Dr. Josephine DiVicenzi, the Assistant Superintendent of Southampton School District, together with Susan Rumph, Erika Locuro, JoAnn Morse and James Tartaglia of the Music Department have worked closely with Barbara Giancola, Artistic Director of the company, to design a program aimed at enthusing, intriguing and challenging students. "Opera is alive, exciting and can provide as much drama as any of the TV series they may watch," Barbara commented. "Each day, students will meet with an artist with a different voice range, from soprano to baritone, and they will have the opportunity to get a feel of what it takes to be a professional singer, and how operas are costumed and staged, and the role of the conductor. At the end of the week, we hope they will feel encouraged to continue to listen and to learn. When we have done music programs such as this in the past, many students who have come with a fixed mind are amazed to find that opera is interesting and exciting, and that they already have come across operatic music in their daily lives.

Photo Courtesy of Opera of the Hamptons

Christian Sebek and Richard Hobson, Metropolitan Opera

We are setting out to pique their curiosity and to encourage them to love both the music and the presentation."

This project really started from scratch some 11 years ago, under the auspices of Dick Malone, then the Superintendent of the Southampton School District, and has carried on over the years in a fairly rudimentary form, covering a wide range of musical activities. Now, thanks to the vision of teachers and administrators in collaboration with the Opera of the Hamptons company, this in depth program has evolved.

In our world today, many children grow up without ever having been exposed to the thrill of seeing live performances in a theater, or hearing the beauty, range and complexity of a fully trained voice that does not rely on electronic wizardry or lip-synching.

Apart from fostering a love of music, programs such as this encourage students to open their minds to new stimuli that will be a major help to them in their total education. Sometimes, children can come along with preconceived ideas and then are amazed to find that things they have already enjoyed, like a Bugs Bunny cartoon, a film such as *Moonstruck,* a number of TV commercials and the theme song from the Soccer World Cup in Italy, all make use of operatic music.

At a time when education is more and more under the microscope, it is great to be able to report on something as positive as this initiative from the Southampton School District. Perhaps I am biased but I will always remember with gratitude, the teacher, who, many years ago took the trouble to bring the music of Mozart, Beethoven and other great composers to me as a teenager. Over the years I have forgotten many things I learned, but this love of all forms of music has been a long-lasting gift. Hopefully, this gift will come to the Southampton students as they listen to glorious music from Puccini, Verdi and others.

–Roy Bradbrook

theatre reviews: golda's balcony & I am my own wife... by gordin & christiano

There are two leading ladies, Golda Meir and Charlotte von Mahlsdorf, currently treading the boards on Broadway in biographies based on their lives. The performers portraying them in one-person shows are both leading contenders for this year's coveted Tony Award. Tovah Feldshuh as Golda Meir is one, Jefferson Mays as Charlotte Von Mahlsdorf is the other, and herein is the difference; Ms. Feldshuh will most likely be a contender for the Best Performance by an Actress in a leading role, while Mr. Mays will most likely be a nominee for Best Performance by an Actor in a leading role. They both, however, are most impressive in their respective shows. Incidentally both shows follow extended sold-out Off-Broadway engagements. *Golda's Balcony*, starring Ms. Feldshuh now at the Helen Hayes Theatre, had its inception at the Manhattan Ensemble Theater. *I Am My Own Wife,* starring Mr. Mays playing at the Lyceum Theatre, originated at Playwrights Horizon.

Golda's Balcony, written by William Gibson (*The Miracle Worker),* is a fascinating portrait of the indomitable Golda Meir, the Milwaukee schoolteacher who became Israel's fourth Prime Minister, from 1969 to 1973. Golda's extraordinary life makes for an enlightening story that includes the dramatic birth of Israel in the wake of the Holocaust and its subsequent struggle for peace. The beautifully crafted one-woman show is not only an incisive history lesson, but also an inspiring reminder of just where the Middle East standoff came from.

In the leading role, Tovah Feldshuh, who recreates her Drama Desk and Lucille Lortel award-winning performance, is a convincing and powerful revelation as Golda Meir. The physical transformation alone is remarkable. Ms. Feldshuh is totally unrecognizable, bloated with padding, graying hair pulled back, a prosthetic nose and one leg swollen larger than the other, ostentibly from gout. Her physical embodiment is only the beginning, however, as she skillfully merges with the character in conveying Meir's passion and courage. Unfortunately, this Broadway

Photo by Jooan Marcus

Jefferson Mays in *I Am My Own Wife*

rendering lacks intimacy and feels more like an address than a retelling. I only wish the direction had allowed the actress to slow down occasionally so the pain of the underlying struggle and sacrifice could land upon us, instead of emphasizing Meir's toughness. The performance is still a phenomenally varied vision of an unforgettable woman.

Based on a true story and inspired by interviews conducted by the playwright Doug Wright over several years, *I Am My Own Wife* tells the fascinating tale of Charlotte von Mahlsdorf, a real-life German transvestite who survived the Nazis and the Communist regime which followed in East Germany. Jefferson Mays, who portrays Charlotte and over 40 other characters in the one person show, is riveting as he segues from one person to another,å displaying a variety of people of different ages, genders and nationalities. The performance is a tour de force and an amazing theatrical experience, which lingers long in the memory.

Charlotte was born Lothar Berfelde in 1930, and encouraged by his lesbian aunt, indulged his passion for cross-dressing at an early age. Charlotte also became an avid collector of antique furnishings, clocks, and gramophones. The story, which spans events covering his killing of his abusive Nazi father, his sentencing and escape from juvenile prison, his establishing of a museum and its basement as a hide-out for the underground gay community, leaves many unanswered questions, especially when Charlotte is suspected of having betrayed his friends to the East German secret police. He/she appears to be almost as unsavory a character as the father he killed as a teenager. Charlotte makes an unlikely hero/heroine, and his story of survival against most unusual odds is not as satisfying as the richly diverse performance Jefferson Mays delivers.

Golda's Balcony is playing at the Helen Hayes Theatre, 240 West 44th Street. *I Am My Own Wife* is playing at the Lyceum Theatre, 149 West 45th Street. Call 212-239-6200 for tickets.

Barry Gordin and Patrick Christiano are theatre critics. Mr. Gordin is an international renowned photographer. They can be reached at Gordinsview@danspapers.com

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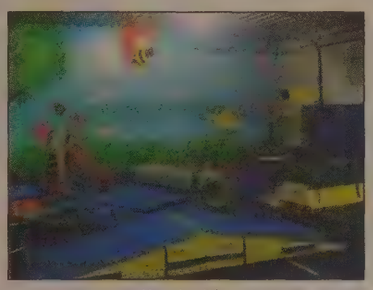
Creative Play, which opened in August 2003, is run by founders Kristine and Bill Duncan. The couple, who have two kids ages 5 and 7, were disappointed by the limited choice of activities for children and parents when they moved from Westchester to Remsenberg five years ago. And since they each have many credentials, *Creative Play* was a perfect solution. Bill, a New York City fireman who still commutes to Jamaica, Queens when on duty, has a graduate degree in early education from the University of Massachusetts. Kristine – a former USGF gymnast, who ranked 6th in the State of New York – is a certified personal trainer and an RN. She spent 14 years as a labor and delivery nurse and is also certified in maternal heath and fitness.

All this education and experience adds up to lots of choices – and not just for kids. There are: Parent/Me classes, and Parenting classes that include infant/child CPR; Infant Massage taught by a certified instructor and Pilates; Maternity Health and Fitness classes for pregnant women and new moms.

There is also Parent/Me and Baby Gym, for children up to 6 months, where caregiver and baby share in gentle play geared towards sensory stimulation; Inch worms, for 6-12 month olds with activities that focus on enhancing coordination and strength; Waddlers, for 10-18 month olds designed for new walkers, who are introduced to stimulating obstacle courses with soft play equipment; Gym Kids, where fine and gross motor skills are practiced using activities and games and Intro To Sports, for 3-4 and 5-7 year-olds introducing T-ball, soft play hockey, gymnastics and more. Cardio Kids, for those 8 and up, introduces exercise and entices kids to keep it up. Also featured are Yoga for Kids, which increases balance, strength and flexibility while having fun; and Creative Arts and Story Hour for kids 2-4 and 4-7, where they make their own handprints with dough, work at their own level and get to complete their own masterpieces.



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You can enroll your little one in a 6-week mini camp, which includes 3 hours of play, crafts, and lunch. Or, if you want to take in a movie and a quiet dinner without the kids, *Creative Play* offers two evenings a week that include supper for the kids. All classes at *Creative Play* are taught by certified teachers and instructors. Classes at *Creative Play* are ongoing.

Classes are offered Monday-Friday. But if you want to experience *Creative Play* before enrolling in a class come by for Open Playtime where parents and kids can try this interactive atmosphere. *Creative Play* is open 7 days a week, and on weekends you can schedule theme parties, birthday parties or private playgroups.

Creative Play is a creative solution to getting out of the cold, or the heat, and a fun way to exercise and learn while meeting other families with the same interests.

Don't hesitate to call Bill or Kristine to customize your own party or playgroup.

Creative Play is located at 7 Midhampton Avenue in Quogue. Call 631-653-6500 or log onto www.creative-play.net.

–Janet Flora

Art Events (continued from page 38)

Romley. Open Mon. – Sun. 12- 6 p.m. (closed Tuesday). "Homage to New York" show by Cuca Romley Etchings displayed at the JP Morgan Chase Bank Mon.-Fri. 9-4 p.m. 633 Third Ave. (40th St.) NYC. For information call 631-725-0097.The Winter Tree Gallery at 125 Main Street, Sag Harbor. 631-725-0097.

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CHRYSALIS GALLERY – Creative Splendor. The works of George Xiong, Duoling Huang, Robert Williams and John Haubrich will be on display. 2 Main Street , Southampton. 631-287-1883.

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Summer X-citement...The (Blue) Rush Is On!

You might not realize it looking at the thermometer, but summer is right around the corner. Well, maybe not right around the corner, but warm weather is heading our way and with it the Hamptons bustle to life. Opportunity springs (pardon the pun) for kiddies big and small to explore the lush surroundings and take advantage of Mother Nature's summertime offerings.

Photo by David Lebith

Instructor David Ortiz, Bradley Reiner, Taylor and Alex Cohen

Enter Blue Rush, the ultimate summer day camp catering to girls and boys, ages eight to sixteen, who crave high-spirited fun and "X-citement." Conceived by David Lebwith and Bryan Murphy, Blue Rush offers a cutting-edge, extreme sports program that's high on adrenaline, adventure and safety. Staffers are rigorously trained, extreme sports certified instructors with credentials that include: ocean lifeguard certification, Project Adventure facilitation, CPR, first aid and emergency response training, and US Coast Guard Auxiliary certifications.

"The goal of Blue Rush is to take fun to the next level. While some of the activities are considered extreme sports, they're based more on the perceived feeling of risk rather than actual risk," said Lebwith. Partner Murphy concurs, "We adhere to the highest possible standards, especially when it comes to safety. Our ratio, three campers per counselor, ensures a high level of personalized attention and supervision."

For those wondering what exactly qualifies as an extreme sport, Lebwith and Murphy offer this explanation. "It's typically a non-traditional sport, one that is intense and thrilling." To meet the description the duo designed an extreme sports roster that includes a variety of sand, sea and air activities, which they feel is unmatched in the world. According to Murphy, "our program includes new cutting-edge activities such as kite boarding or wake skating, and anyone who participates is on the forefront."

For landlubbers, Blue Rush offers skate boarding, low/high ropes climbing and sand boarding (think snowboarding on sand). Sand boarding devotees begin the experience on small dunes that are not steep, and work their way to higher inclines as they increase in proficiency. Skating adventures involve street skating, carve boarding and skating in skate parks. Lebwith is quick to point out no matter the sport, "safety gear is worn at all times." Water sports include the ever-popular tubing, along with wake boarding, wake surfing (no foot straps), wake skating (uses binding-less wake board), body boarding and traditional surfing, which compared to its water sport cousins seems almost old school.

For those who want to catch some serious air, there's kiting. The modern kite is now a high tech, high performance apparatus that is the backbone for a slew of sports – skudding (barefoot skiing on sand), kite jumping, kite body surfing, kite skim boarding, kite surf boarding, kite mountain boarding and last but not least, kite buggying.

As with all the sports offered by Blue Rush, participants learn the ABC's before advancing to more challenging adventures. Lebwith explains, "Our instructional process is a progressive learning structure that starts out with the mastery of basic skills and progresses toward mastering more advanced skills."

True to the team's desire for all to "experience the rush," the camp also offers an Extreme Sports After Camp for ages 8 and up. The program parallels the Extreme Sports day camp program, but instead lasts for two hours. Another important element in the spectrum of offerings from Blue Rush is the camp's private water sport sessions.

These sessions may be structured as a private lesson (e.g., the opportunity to learn tricks) or as a group outing. Group activities include wake boarding, wake surfing/skating, water skiing and tubing. "For families and friends they're a great time on the water," said Lebwith. "Not to mention a terrific photo opportunity."

If you are looking to try something new for the kids this summer, look no further...Blue Rush is the place to start! Besides dishing up a healthy dose of "x-hilaration" and fun, the camp's sports curriculum is designed to teach confidence, goal setting, patience, physical skills, team building, discipline and an appreciation of life. As Lebwith and Murphy point out, "Regardless of physical size, strength, or athletic ability – everyone shares in the experience of 'Blue Rush' girls and boys alike."

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JENNIFER NICHOLSON

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Designer and daughter of Jack, Jennifer Nicholson turned the 7th on Sixth runway into a magic carpet ride for guests, editors and fashionistas. Eastern bohemian tossed in with a little 70s inspiration and a touch of the 1920s resulted in rich color in every outfit. It seems like shades of purple are reigning on the runways After the show, guests went to Sette on Seventh Avenue for dinner. The crowd included a large Hamptons contingent which included our man Dan Rattiner. Some of the notables, including Lauren Bush, Amanda Hearst and Elisabeth Kieselstein-Cord, were dressed in head-to-toe Jennifer Nicholson. Muffie-Potter Aston and Somers and Jonathan Farkas rounded out the Hamptons group.

1. Tinsley Mortimer, Elisabeth Kieselstein-Cord and Amanda Hearst 2. Jennifer Nicholson and Warren Hode 3. Jennifer Nicholson and Ivanka Trump

VALENTINE SALON

Photos by Veronique Louis

I had the honor to serve as emcee for the Valentine Salon at New York's Metropolitan Club and to be with people who have shown immeasurable dedication to East End Hospice, Camp Good Grief and related activities. This event benefits Camp Good Grief, a bereavement program that helps children in mourning for a parent or sibling. The Camp is free and it is sponsored by East End Hospice in Westhampton. The Guest of Honor was Dr. Antonia Novello, New York State Commissioner of Health, who received the first Susan Kohl Katz Good Heart Award, presented by Jackie Weinstein. Sue Katz, who passed away a year ago, was a driving force for all the activities for Hospice. Keynote Speaker was Court TV anchor Nancy Grace who made the guests cry as she recounted her story of losing her fiancé and how she went on to be an advocate for victims. Hospice's big fund raiser, East End Open Tennis, has added Golf to the event slated for July 17.

1. Nancy Grace 2. Sharon Inkeles, Lesley Leben, Susan Leder 3. Antonella and Julio Manfredi 4. Shari Adler, Sharon Meyerson, Barbara Katz 5. Priscilla Ruffin, Antonia Novello, Katlean DeMonchy

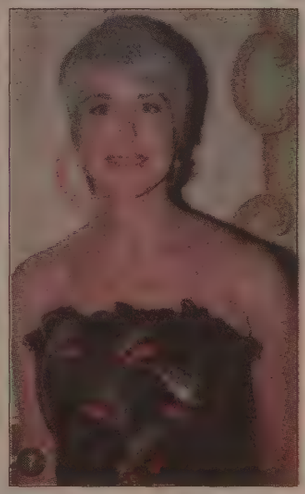
OPEN YOUR HEART

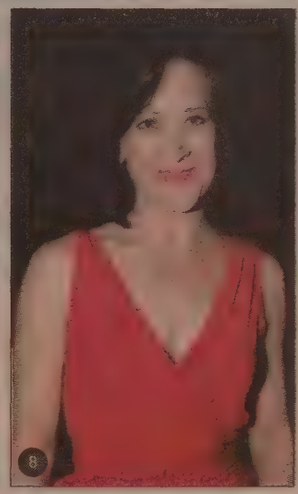
The Hedge Funds Care presented their Sixth Annual Open Your Heart to the Children Benefit at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in NYC. Producer Marty Richards received the Hedge Funds Care Lifetime Award for Caring for his longstanding commitment to children and the community. The benefit honored John Budzyna, Suzanne Currie, Robert Leonard and Ron Suber. Founded by Rob Davis, The Hedge Funds Care's mission is to prevent child abuse and provide effective treatment to those who have been victimized.

1. Elke and Ben Gazzara 2. Marty Richards 3. Ron Suber, Bear Stearns; Suzanne Currie, Ardsley Partners; Robert Leonard, Bryan Cave; MC Claudia Holz, KPMG; John Budzyna, Ernst & Young 4. Rob and Kathalynn Davis, Founder, Hedge Funds Care 5. Carole Shelley

CELEBRATION OF BROADWAY

Many of Broadway's biggest names honored Broadway's newest leading couple, Antonio Banderas and Melanie Griffith, at The Drama League's 19th Annual *Musical Celebration of Broadway Gala*. The black-tie event at The Pierre Hotel featured a star-studded musical tribute by a host of Tony-Award winning performers including Chita Rivera, Karen Ziemba and others. Since 1916 The Drama League has served the American Theatre by developing artists and audiences. Proceeds from this black tie gala support The Drama League's renowned Directors Project and the Audience Project.



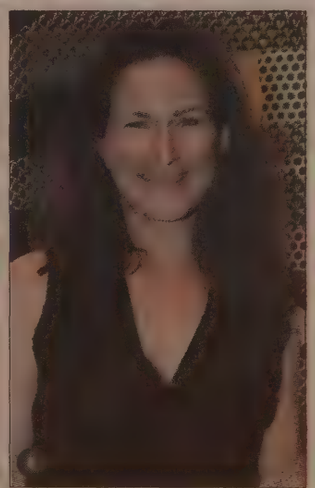


1. Antonio Banderas and Melanie Griffith 2. Daphne Rubin-Vega, *Anna in the Tropics,* wearing Harry Winston 3. Tony Award Winning Legend Chita Rivera 4. Christine Ebersole, Lee Grant 5. Elaine and Jerry Orbach 6. April Cowe, Elizabeth Stribling, Jeanine Lawrence, Cece Black, Debbie Bancroft 7. Patricia Follert, Drama League President 8. Karen Ziemba 9. Tonya Pinkins

CHOICE ART FOR PLANNED PARENTHOOD

Choice Art, an auction of contemporary art was held at Sotheby's in NYC to benefit Planned Parenthood. An array of works by renowned artists including Eric Fischl, April Gornik, Chuck Close, Roy Lichtenstein, and Robert Mapplethorpe were auctioned to raise funds. In addition, photographer Cindy Sherman created a limited edition image for the event. All sale proceeds go to three NY Planned Parenthood affiliates and Planned Parenthood Federation of America (PPFA), the nation's largest voluntary family planning organization.

1. Planned Parenthood Presidents: Reina Shiffrin, Hudson Peconic; Joan Mallen, NYC; Gloria Feldt, Federation of America; Karen Pearl, Nassau County 2. Hon. Ann Richards, Co-chair Robin Chandler Duke 3. Diane Saatchi, CEO Dayton-Halstead Real Estate 4. Illeana Douglas 5. Ana Gasteyer 6. Caroline Hirsch 7. Gloria Feldt, Auctioneer; Tobias Meyer, Worldwide Head of Contemporary Art, Sotheby's



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Silvia Lehrer's Cooking Column

Pancakes, the much loved American breakfast food, are delicious little flat-cakes made from a simple quick-bread batter. Admittedly, when I think about a stack of pancakes, I am conscious of the stream of melted butter and pure maple syrup dripping down its side. There are ways, however, to cut down on the calories and not deprive ourselves of this pleasurable dish.

Making pancakes from scratch is easy. There really isn't much more to preparing your own. Even the most popular boxed mix includes additional ingredients. To the milk, egg and oil required by the prepared mix, all you need to add is flour, baking soda or powder. You can also mix whole wheat flour in with white flour which some cooks may find appealing. Adding fruits to the batter, such as raspberries, sliced strawberries, or thinly sliced apples, lends a sweetness to help cut down on the syrup later. Flavorings such as vanilla and a bit of sugar may also be incorporated. You may use low fat, skim or buttermilk. I personally love the flavor of buttermilk in pancakes.

Mix the batter in the bowl and stir only enough to allow the liquid to dampen the dry ingredients and to eliminate the large lumps. The tiny lumps seem to take care of themselves. It is important not to overbeat the mixture.

Add a teaspoon or two of butter or oil to coat the surface of your skillet. When hot, pour off excess and stir into the batter, then blot with paper towel. Pancakes do not fry, they "bake" on a hot surface.

For a nicely rounded pancake, drop the batter from a large kitchen spoon or ladle, lowering into the pan. After two to three minutes, bubbles will appear on the edges. With a spatula, peek underneath to see how it is browning. One or two pancakes will need to cook before the rest begin to brown evenly. Flip the pancakes and brown the second side, which never browns as well as the first, and takes about half as long to cook. Keep them warm in a 200-degree oven and serve as soon as possible

BUTTERMILK VANILLA PANCAKES
Makes 12-14 silver-dollar pancakes

1 cup unbleached all-purpose flour
2 tablespoons brown sugar
1 1/2 teaspoons baking soda
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1 cup buttermilk
1/3-1/2 cup milk, skim or low-fat
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 egg, well beaten
1 tablespoon melted butter
1/2 cup thinly sliced apples, strawberries, whole blueberries or raspberries (optional)

1. Combine flour, sugar, baking soda and baking powder in a mixing bowl. Make a well in the dry ingredients. Add buttermilk, milk, vanilla and egg and draw the flour mixture into the liquid ingredients until incorporated. Do not overbeat, any small lumps will bake out. If batter is very thick add a little more milk and stir to mix.

2. Melt the butter in a non-stick skillet and place over medium heat. Film the bottom of the pan with the butter and pour off excess into the batter. Add fruits if desired and stir to mix.

3. Be sure skillet is greased and hot before adding batter. Using a kitchen spoon or small ladle drop a small amount of batter in two or three places in the skillet. Tilt the pan and let the batter spread so that each pancake is about 1 1/2 to 2 inches around. Bubbles will appear on the surface and when edges look dry, peek underneath to check browning. Flip the pancakes to brown other side. Continue to make additional pancakes until batter is used up. Keep warm in a 200-dgree oven as they are done. Serve with a drizzle of maple syrup if desired.

BUTTERMILK CORNCAKES WITH CRANBERRY MAPLE COMPOTE
Yield 18-20 corncakes

For the compote
1 cup fresh cranberries
1 cup pure maple syrup
For the corn (pan) cakes
3/4 cup all-purpose flour
6 tablespoons yellow cornmeal
2 tablespoons sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 1/2 cups buttermilk
2 eggs, beaten
2 tablespoons unsalted butter, melted
Dash Tobasco
1 cup corn kernels, coarsely chopped
3 scallions, trimmed and thinly sliced
Vegetable oil

1. Place cranberries and syrup in a small saucepan. Heat slowly over medium heat and bring to a simmer. Cook until cranberries soften and burst, stirring occasionally, about 8-10 minutes. Cool and refrigerate for up to one week ahead.

2. In a large bowl thoroughly combine flour, cornmeal, sugar, salt, baking powder and baking soda. Set aside.

3. In separate bowl whisk together buttermilk, eggs, butter, Tobasco, corn kernels and scallions. (Can be stored covered, in the refrigerator overnight.)

4. Before serving, add the wet ingredients to the dry, and with a wooden spoon, combine with a few swift strokes. Taste for seasoning.

5. Lightly oil a non-stick skillet and place over medium heat. For each pancake, drop 2 full tablespoons batter to form corncakes about 2 1/2 inches in diameter. Cook until fine bubbles appear on the surface, about 2-3 minutes. Flip them over and cook until they spring back when poked with a finger, about 1 minute. Try not to flip them back and forth or they will lose their lightness. Continue with remaining batter until done. (You may need to re-oil the skillet between batches of pancakes.) Keep warm in a 180-degree oven until all are done. Serve with cranberry-maple compote.

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Dining In The Hamptons

Side Dish
By Aji Jones

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Jason Weiner, the Executive Chef of **Almond** in Bridgehampton, will be appearing at Loaves & Fishes Cookshop (also located in Bridgehampton) on Wednesday, February 25th, from 6 to 8 p.m. Weiner will demonstrate a Long Island menu, which will be complemented by several local North Fork vintages. For more info call Loaves & Fishes at 537-6066.

Southampton's **red/bar brasserie** recently reopened from their winter break. They will now be open for dinner Wednesday through Sunday beginning at 6 p.m. For further information or reservations call red/bar at 283-0704.

Indian Cove Restaurant & Marina also reopened last week. The popular Hampton Bays eatery, located on the Shinnecock Canal, is now serving lobster, mussels, clams and shrimp every Sunday during their Sunday Seafood Festival. For $22.75 patrons will also receive choice of soup or salad and a free glass of Stella Artois beer. The festival starts at 4 p.m. Call 728-5366 for details.

Also back from vacation, **Mirko's Restaurant** in Water Mill Square has reopened for their 21st season. Mirko's will be serving dinner Thursday through Sunday with a prix fixe available on Thursday and Sunday. Call 726-4444 for more information.

Mary Jane's (324-8008) in East Hampton has reopened as well. Serving lunch and dinner every day, Mary Jane's also has some specials. From 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. try the $9.95 Soup Combo, which pairs a cup of soup with a salad or half of a sandwich. For dinner Mary Jane's offers a $25 prix fixe every night beginning at 4 p.m. Call and ask about their take out and catering menu too.

At **Nick and Toni's** customers can still treat themselves to a meal and a movie for $25. Available all night Thursday and from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, the two course prix fixe also includes a movie ticket. Choose from entrées such as wood fired pizzas and pastas or wood roasted chicken. Call 324-3550 for details.

Located at The Maidstone Arms, **Boat Bar & Bistro** is now open every Thursday through Saturday from 12 p.m. to 10 p.m. and on Sundays for brunch. Call 324-5006 or log on to www.maidstonearms.com for info.

It has been cold out this winter and many of us have been staying indoors. With that in mind **Brent's General Store** in Amagansett is offering some fried chicken take home packages that are sure to warm you up without emptying your pockets. A large tub of chicken (12 pcs.) is now $12.95, a giant tub (20 pcs.) is now $22.95. Both come with fries and coleslaw and both packages are cooked to order. The offer is available Thursday through Sunday from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Call 267-3113 thirty minutes in advance to place an order.

The Japanese restaurant and sushi bar known as **Sen** (725-1774), located in Sag Harbor, is closed for a short vacation. They will be reopening on March 3rd, for yet another season. Be on the look out for new additions to the menu when Sen returns.

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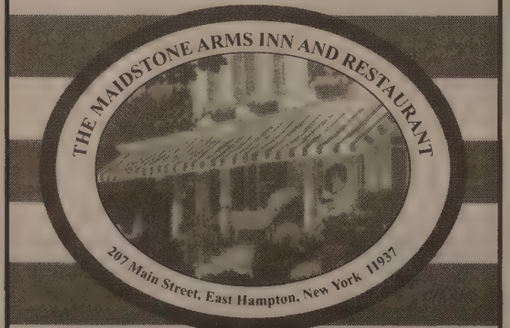

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Uggs – The New Stiletto?

There is something to be said when girls who own upwards of 75 pairs of shoes, and have been wearing heels nearly everyday since they were youngsters, becomes bound to clunky, flat boots. Uggs, the increasingly popular sheepskin foot warmers, have been around for over 25 years. Yet, it took trendsetting celebs such as Kate Hudson, who donned them proudly with ultra-minis on numerous occasions, to get them worldwide attention.

Photo from snowriver.com

Uggs, and their countless spin-offs (of which Emu has been one of the most successful, arguably because it is the most expensive by-product) are hitting all the fashion capitals and more (even an Ithaca shoe store carried some models…). When it comes to views on how the boots actually look, there is a clear disparity in opinion. Pinned 'Ughs' or just plain 'Ugly' by many, mostly men, who would rather see women in painful heels than comfy boots, they have taken on a sort of elite status for others. Naysayers can breath a sigh of relief as the coveted shoes have been increasingly difficult to obtain (I ordered a pair in September – they won't be shipped till April).

It's hard to describe what it feels like to actually wear a pair to a person whose foot has never felt the same ecstasy. They are so comfortable it is recommended to wear them without socks. Imagine being without socks in 0-degree weather and still being warm. This comfort, combined with the fact that compared to most other "comfortable" shoes they really aren't that bad looking, makes them, I think, the hot-sellers that they are.

The question thus becomes, is there a line that Uggs should not cross? Are there places where wearing Uggs might not be "appropriate"? When I first came to College I would get all doodled-up to go out…Dolce stilettos, seven jeans, Malandrino tops… it didn't take me long to realize that those clothes weren't the norm. I adapted. I now wear sweats (granted they are Juicy), and of course my Uggs (that, by the way, I only have thanks to my dad who bought me a pair at some remote store in Southampton). This clothing style is great for here. There is no question that in below freezing temperature you want to be comfortable, especially if most of the walking takes place on hills and through trees and dirt, but I was shocked when I went back home to find that Uggs had swept more than Manhattan's day scene; the night scene was being swarmed by the boots as well.

There has always been a sort of unwritten dress code that must be abided by if you hope to get into one of the city's trendy nightspots. Among other things, heels are a must. So I was floored when I went out and found countless girls dancing away in there Uggs! Now it is one thing to wear them during the day, but to get all dressed up and then to wear your Uggs, well, that's just taking it too far. What's next, sweats and t-shirts for going out? Therefore, I must conclude by saying that while Uggs may be the comfiest shoes on the block, as Jonathan Schurgin, a 30-year-old banker remarked in *New York Magazine*, "They're not sexy! They make women look more like an Ewok than like a Hollywood starlet."

–Sharon Feiereisen

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Your home may be your castle but to many disabled people it becomes a prison because they are trapped downstairs, unable to get up the stairs on their own.

"When your own home becomes a challenge to live in, that's the time to take control and do what it takes to make it work," says Polly Valentin of Hampton Bays. "I recently put in an elevator in my home that literally has opened doors to me that have been closed for so long. I don't know why I didn't do it sooner," she says.

People can become disabled at any point in their lives. Their regular activities in the community and even living in their own homes suddenly can turn difficult and rob them of their independence.

Disability may be present from birth, or result from an accident in youth, a work-related injury, a disease, the aging process or a multitude of other causes. If we, ourselves, do not experience a disability, perhaps we will be caring for a disabled child, spouse, parent or friend. Disability ranks among the nation's biggest public health concerns, encompassing an estimated 52 million Americans, according to the National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research, U.S. Department of Education, Washington D.C.

Photo Courtesy of All Island Elevator

Ms. Valentin, 35, is a married mother of four children ages 3 to 15, who lives in a modest two-story ranch house and uses a wheelchair for mobility. Confined downstairs, where she moved her bedroom after the progression of multiple sclerosis, she was unable to tuck her kids into bed, grab a sweater when they ran out the door – all the little things mothers do. Her husband had to be home to carry her up and down the stairs.

"I became a burden so fast in my own home, I had to swallow my pride and get serious about finding a mobility product to get me independent again," she says.

Valentin soon learned that there is help available, but it is difficult to find. And financing was needed, too. Her research started with the American Association of Persons with Disabilities (AAPD) in Washington D.C. and her Town's human services office. AAPD sent a list of elevator and stair lift companies and she concentrated on calling those on Long Island.

Valentin then consulted with All-Island Elevator Co. in Hampton Bays. They advised her that there was no need for an elevator with extensive construction for a shaft and pit, but a "residential free-standing elevator."

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Resourcefully, Valentin obtained letters from the Multiple Sclerosis Society stating that the elevator was a medical necessity. Then through a friend at Riverhead Building Supply she learned that they donate construction material to the disabled, which they did. With the assistance of others and determination to improve her family life, Valentin was able to accomplished her goal.

Darlene Shaughnessy, 50, married with two boys, was a runner and skier until a disease affected her ability to walk. With the aid of a walker and a retrofitted car she is able to get around somewhat but the stairs in her two-story Cape Cod home in Sagaponack were a challenge. She was unable to get up on her own to her and her sons' bedrooms and the sunny room she uses to illustrate children's books.

"I never paid attention to the little things that can sap a disabled person's independence until I was trapped downstairs in my own home!" she says. "We thought we'd have to move to a one story house until we installed a stairway lift."

According to Silver Cross, an accessibility equipment referral and information service network that installs over 5,000 stair lifts a year, or 25% of all stair lifts in North America through member dealers, a stair lift is an important mechanical device many people rely on. Therefore, buying it from a local merchant that has been screened for quality and service issues is an extremely important factor. Stair lift models differ and each person may require a specific model. Consulting with an experienced dealer that offers a choice from a variety of manufacturers is strongly advised.

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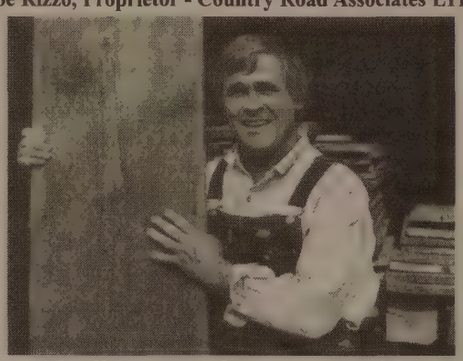

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At Rock Cottage, we use bare root roses because they are economical and provide access to the widest selection. Some people hesitate to purchase bare root roses, but we believe they are worthwhile.

Photo by Lance Brilliantine

You can purchase bare root roses via mail order or through local nurseries. Make sure you purchase "grade 1" plants (they also come in grade 2). Select plants with a large bud union and three or more canes, 12-15 inches long.

There are seven main types of roses to choose from:

Hybrid teas are the classic, long-stem rose. These plants produce repeatedly, but not continuously, during the season.

Grandifloras also bloom repeatedly, but often with clustered blooms and stems that are shorter than the hybrid teas.

Floribundas bloom almost continuously. The plants are shorter than the teas and grandifloras, and have pointed buds and centered flowers.

Floribunda hybrid teas combine the best features of hybrid teas and floribundas and bloom almost continuously.

Climbing roses mostly bloom in clusters once each season, though some are repeat bloomers.

Miniature roses come in a variety of colors. They are an ideal for beds and borders, but generally do not have any fragrance.

Tree roses provide blooms on 36-inch trunks. They are ideal in borders or along walkways.

To plant a bare root rose, remove the plant from its packaging and submerge it in a bucket of water, to which a few tablespoons of a transplant solution have been added. Soak the plant for at least 12 hours to rehydrate the roots. Dig a hole two feet wide and two feet deep. While this may seem like overkill, the depth of the hole ensures good drainage; the width enables you to lighten and enrich the soil with organic materials. (A healthy rosebush develops feeder roots in a 2 foot radius if the soil is light and friable.) Add compost, mulch, and/or peat to the excavated soil to make a mixture of soil and organic material. When the soil is combined, refill the hole halfway and sprinkle a cup of bone meal in the hole. Mix lightly.

To the remaining soil, add a half cup each of bone meal and blood meal. This mixture can be used to fill the top of the hole where feeder roots will develop. Fashion a cone-shaped mound in the hole with the improved soil – almost to the top of the hole. The cone will support the downward and outward growth of roots and enable the plant to anchor itself. Cut off any broken roots and trim an inch off of each root end to stimulate new root development. Also, reduce the canes to a 6-8 inch maximum length. Roots must be able to support top growth so the shortened canes are important. Cut the canes an inch above bud eyes that grow away from the center of the plant. Cuts should be at a 45-degree angle to help drainage. Place the trimmed plant over the soil cone and spread the roots out over it. Position the plant so the bud union is at terrain level by pushing the plant down slowly on the cone.

Hold the plant in position and fill the hole with the improved soil, pressing the soil down firmly to avoid air pockets, but not hard enough to compact the soil or damage roots. When the hole is half filled, water the plant well. Then fill the hole to ground level and form a water-well around the plant. Fill the well with water. Mound mulch over the plant (at least half its height) and water again. This helps keep the root tissues moist. For the next month, water the plant every three days, keeping the soil moist.

When the top bud eyes have produced 2-inch shoots, remove the mound of mulch but keep a protective layer of 2-to-3" over the area to ensure the feeder roots stay cool and moist. Do not fertilize the plant until after the first blooms.

Bare root roses generally bloom in 10-12 weeks after planting. On a first-year plant, cut blooms with short stems to leave as much foliage as possible. Wait for the second year to cut longer stems, as the plant needs every leaf it has to manufacture food. Water the plant prodigiously – at least 2 inches weekly.

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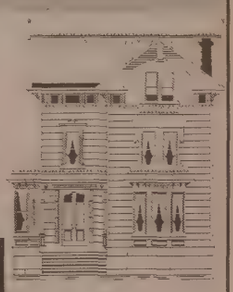

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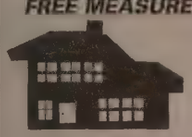

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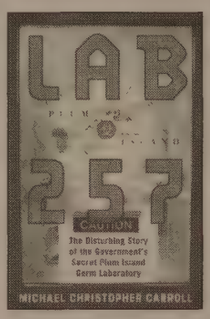
review: lab 257 plum island

By Dan Rattiner

A new book has come out about the Plum Island National Disease Center. It is by a Bellmore attorney named Michael Carroll, who has never written a book before, and it is a definitive history of the lab, warts and all, describing its 50 years in existence.



The Plum Island National Disease Center, for those not familiar with it, occupies the entire 840 acres of Plum Island, which is off the tip of the North Fork of Long Island. A ferry brings workers back and forth from a dock at Orient Point. On the island, they try to find cures for various animal diseases they are studying.

When the lab was founded in 1954, scientists chose this site because it was way off in the middle of nowhere, with a small, rural populace on the mainland, mostly involved with potato farming. Major population centers were far, far away. It took four and a half hours to drive from Manhattan to Orient in those days.

Carroll's book is important because there is now considerable controversy over whether or not the lab should move to another site, in consideration of how the population in the immediate area has grown. Instead of moving, however, those in charge of the lab are interested in expanding. They made an application, which has initially been denied, to study human illnesses related to chemical and biological warfare, in addition to the animal diseases. One year ago, the lab was taken over by Homeland Security.

And it is still almost impossible for a civilian to set foot on it.

The book's cover promises that the inside pages will have a sort of Creature from Outer Space-Nazi Experiments - Aliens quality. However, these pages are a sort of a rehash. The substance of the book recounts some of the missteps the lab has taken over the years, including provoking a bout of hoof and mouth disease which led to the destruction of all animals on the island in the 1970s.

The book has been reviewed in *Newsday* and the *New York Times*.

Carroll took several tours of the island and says that there may be things being studied there that the public knows nothing about. "There is zero public oversight," he said to the *Times*. But he has not discovered what the unknown things are.

Though the book in that sense is simply sensational, it has resulted in the lab directors opening Plum Island for a press tour in the wake of its publication last week. Reporters on the tour were impressed with the level of security, and if there were or weren't lapses in the past, the truth is, there have been no human deaths in fifty years that can be traced to anything going on on that island.

Should the lab be moved or closed? Carroll writes that the activities there are an accident just waiting to happen, and that is true. It also has been an accident waiting to happen every day for the last fifty years. Perhaps with the great population in the immediate area now, an accident would be catastrophic rather than anecdotal. Nevada would be a better place for this facility. That is the simple truth, and as soon as the scientists face that fact, the better.

Police Blotter

An argument over union matters turned into a display of poor union manners last Thursday at a Bridgehampton construction site. Police arrested a 44-year-old Ronkonkoma man, on charges of assault in the third degree, after he hit another man. According to police, the two men were working together at the Daniels Lane residence when an argument erupted regarding union matters.

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Suffolk County Animal Control issued a response request to Bunker Harvey of Flanders late last week. According to officers, the 3-year-old Coon Hound/Lab mix was seen chasing children while at large. The complaint was issued on Thursday, but no charges have been filed yet, as officers are still investigating.

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More dog trouble was reported this past week, this time in East Hampton. According to police, two slap-happy Hamptonites got into an argument while walking their dogs down Boatheaders Lane. The woman who reported the incident told police that her dog had growled at another dog, causing the other dog's owner to kick the poor little fella'. It was then that the woman started yelling at the dog kicker and the dog kicker retaliated with a slap in the face. The woman went straight home and called the police who shortly after arrested the man.

A woman's leather jacket and purse are also at large this week. According to police, a Seaford woman was eating and drinking at a Montauk restaurant when she noticed her $350 jacket and $500 purse were missing. Employees of the establishment and police officers helped the woman search the area, but nothing turned up.

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What do lawyers do when one takes another to court? Do they get two more lawyers to make it a party? Could you imagine how vague and confusing the questioning would be? Police responded to the Riverhead Criminal Courts Building last week after receiving a call from a lawyer who stated that he was physically harassed by another lawyer while discussing a case. According to police, the complaining lawyer was shoved in the forearm several times.

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Police arrested a 20-year-old Hampton Bays man on Friday at his Wauhope Road home. An officer who was intending on executing a bench warrant that day arrived at the man's home to find him smoking pot in his living room. After the man consented to a search of the premises, the officer found a large, undisclosed amount of marijuana locked up in a safe in the bedroom. Police charged the man with criminal possession of marijuana.

Two break-ins were reported this week, both involving unattended vehicles on the East End. The first was reported in Montauk when a man returned to his car, which was parked at a hotel, to discover the door lock broken and his CD player and $800 cash missing. Police notified hotel security who are keeping a cautious eye out.

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A similar theft took place at the Amagansett Train Station sometime between Monday evening and Friday night; this time no cash was involved. The victim called police after returning from a week in the city to find his door lock removed and his dashboard damaged. According to police, the perpetrator stole the victim's EZ Pass and tore the face off the CD player, damaging the dashboard in the process. Altogether, $700 in damage was reported.

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A Mayslanding, New Jersey, woman was arrested in East Hampton and charged with theft of services on Wednesday. Police received a call from a New Jersey cab driver who had driven the woman out here and couldn't get her to pay the $700 fare. The woman was arrested and held overnight awaiting a court appearance.

–Written and compiled by Tom Haskell

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Letters

CALL TO CHANGE

Dear Dan,

It's clear Bush is not working out. It's not the recriminations, it's not the bad mouthing of Bush, it's not the headlines, it's not his service records, it's not Iraq, it's not the economy, it's not the job, it's not the subpeonas, it's not the websites, it's not the Bush support of job exports, it's just that Bush is not working out. Forget the family ties to the Saudis, forget Enron, forget the Patriot Act, forget the whole mess created by Bush. Forget the fighters not put into immediate use on the bombings of the WTC and Pentagon. Bush is not working.

It is not a time of anger and frustration – it is a time of coming together. It is a time of clarity. It is a time of acting in the name of peace.

It is clear we need a new President. It is clear we are in a mess under President Bush and Company. I urge you to vote for change.

William Sokolin
Watermill

Opinions, Opinions. –D.R.

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Dear Dan,

In his column, *When In Manhattan* (January 9, 2004), Oliver Peterson refers to "g—— tees". Would you allow use of the words like "k—", "s——", "n———", "k—", "m——", "p——", or "f—" in your paper? I think not.

You owe your Italian-American readers an apology.

Paul Piccone
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I apologize to any offended by the remark referred to. It should have been edited out. –D.R.

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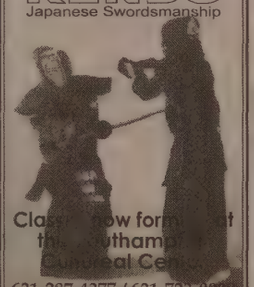

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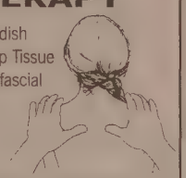

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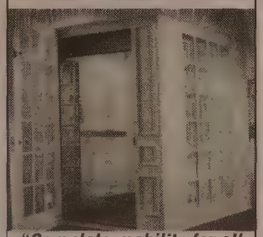

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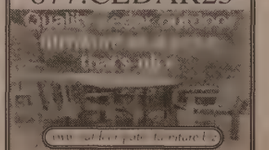

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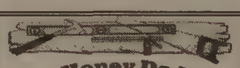
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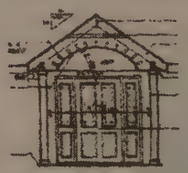
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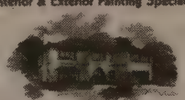

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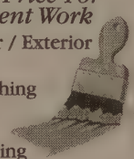

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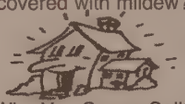
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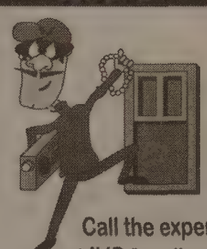

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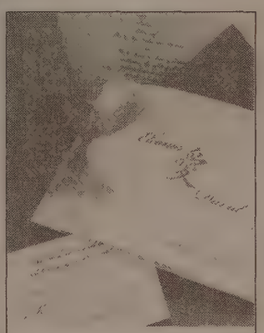

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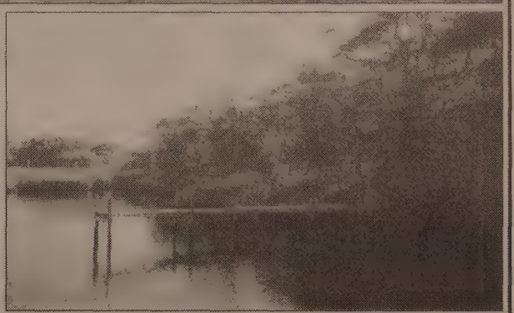

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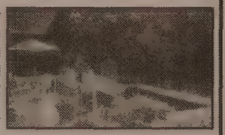

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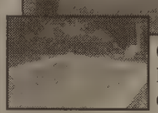

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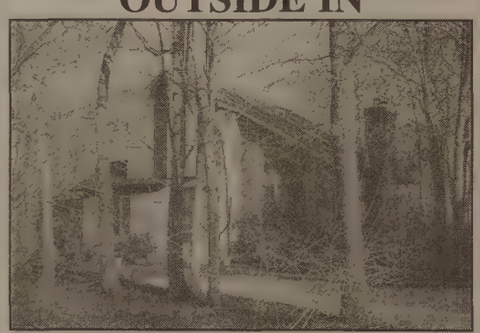

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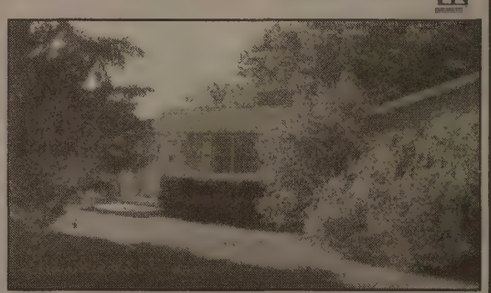

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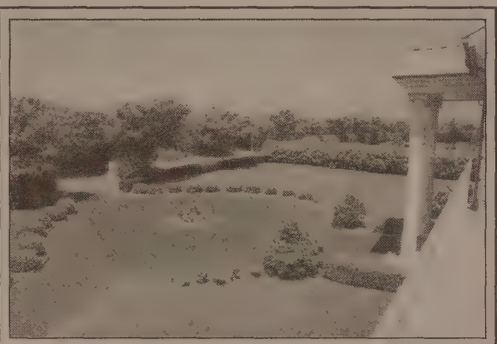

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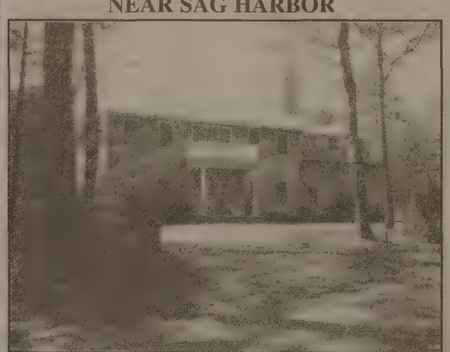

This new red cedar shingled traditional features 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2-car garage, gourmet kitchen, media room, heated 20X40 gunite pool, all set on 2.4 lovely wooded acres.

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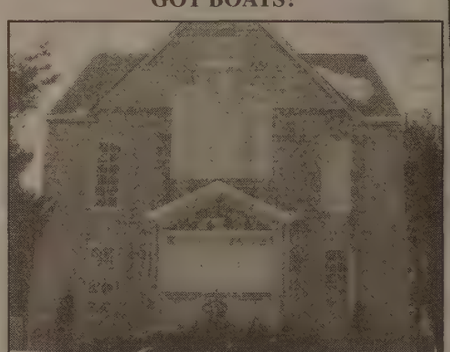

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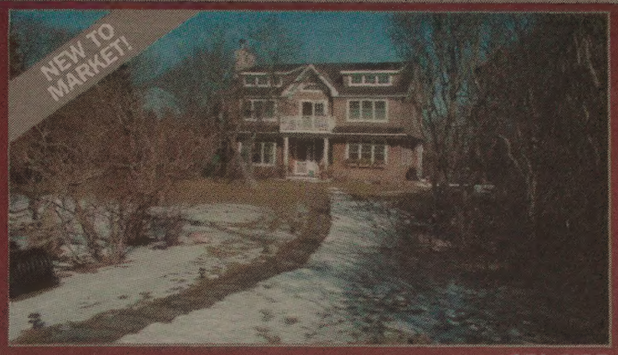

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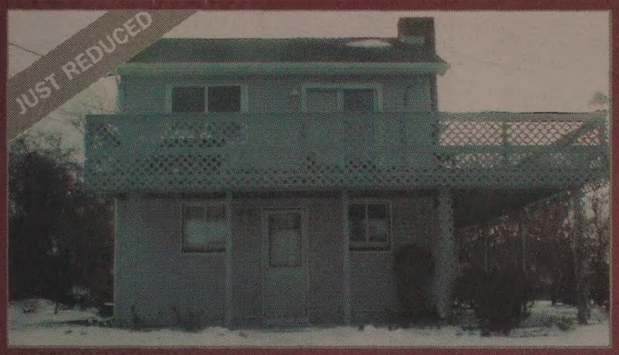

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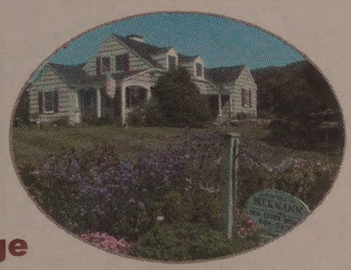

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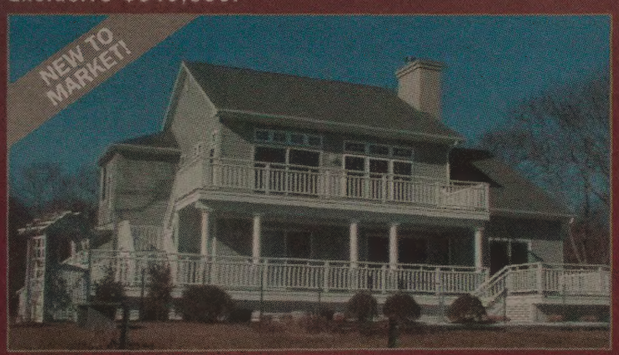

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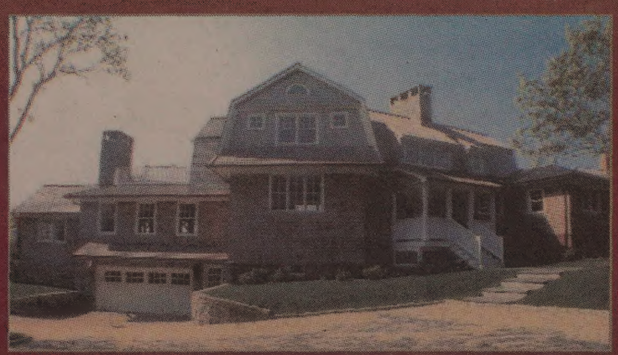

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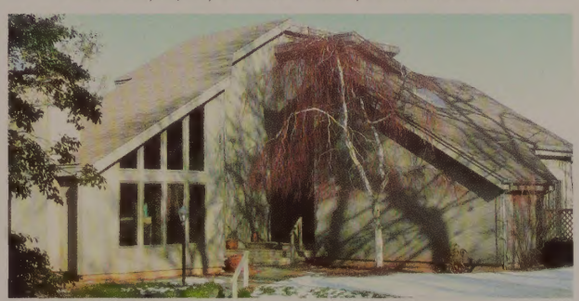
Brand new, two-story, traditional-style home in North Haven has master suite on first floor, three other bedrooms, total of four full baths, living room with fireplace, great kitchen, CAC and a heated pool. Co-exclusive, $985,000. ***Ginger English, 631 725-6900 ext 350***

Especially bright, two-story modern home, just one short block to the ocean in the Amagansett Dunes, has a spacious master suite, three other bedrooms, two full baths, a large deck and room for a pool. Exclusive, $1,295,000. ***Elisabeth Mills, 631 324-6900 ext 231***

Wonderfully stylish, three-bedroom, two-story home with two baths, attached garage, free form pool, lovely landscaping, is located in a private, beachfront community in East Hampton. Exclusive, $625,000. ***Stacey Barnds, 631 324-6900 ext 237***

Brilliantly redone, six-bedroom home on perfectly landscaped property south of the highway in Water Mill has five baths, CAC, an attached two-car garage and a heated 20' X 40' pool. Co-exclusive, $1,975,000. ***Shaun Costello, 631 537-6900 ext 315***

South-of-the-highway, two-story traditional in East Hampton has four bedrooms, three baths, front porch, attached garage, a heated 20' X 40' pool and beautiful landscaped property. Co-exclusive, $1,575,000. ***Dorothy Garfein, 631 324-6900 ext 250***



Great, three-bedroom contemporary home on 1.9 acres in Amagansett near Devon Beach has three full baths, finished basement, generator, security system a 20' x 50' heated pool and a hot tub. Exclusive, $885,000. ***Stacey Barnds, 631 324-6900 ext 237***

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